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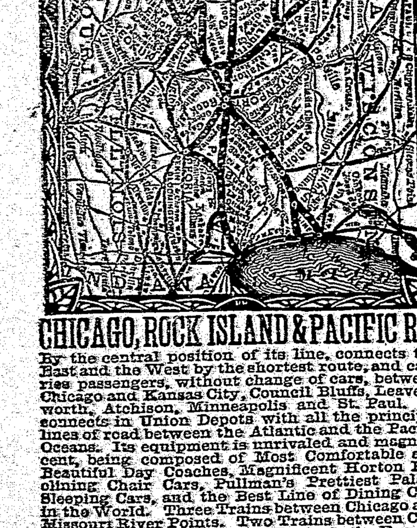
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NEWS OF THE DAY.

GENERAL ITEMS.

—In the New Jersey House of Assembly the joint resolution providing for an amendment to the constitution touching Senatorial representation on a basis of population, was defeated.

—The Independent State Convention met at Providence, R. I., and nominated ex-Governor William Sprague for Governor without dissent.

—A bill prohibiting the cremation of human bodies under heavy penalties has been introduced into the Pennsylvania Senate.

—Governor Butler, of Massachusetts, in vetoing the Appropriation bill for the State institutions, says he will not allow it to become a law, because it is too extravagant and there is nothing to prevent dishonesty in the expenditure of the money.

—In the case of Nicholas L. Dukes, tried for the murder of Captain A. C. Nutt, whose daughter he had seduced at Uniontown, Pa., the jury found a verdict of not guilty. The verdict was not satisfactory to the people and an indignation meeting was held.

—It has been discovered that Emmett O'Neill, the Schenectady broker who recently failed, has fled. The liabilities in Schenectady and Duanesburg are $250,000. Nearly all his family are rendered penniless through his crimes.

—Mr. Patrick Egan, one of the founders of the Irish National Land League, and its treasurer until the organization nominally passed out of existence, to be succeeded by the National League, is now in this country.

—The New Jersey Senate Committee on Revision of Laws reported adversely the bill providing that the real estate of private corporations shall be taxed the same as the real estate of individuals.

—A salvage steamer which returned from the scene of the wreck of the steamer Cimbria reports that a number of the bodies of the victims are jammed among the gear of a life-boat on deck. The entrances to the cabins are closed by a compact mass of bodies. To save the cargo three decks would have to be removed by explosives and the explosions would shatter the 400 corpses in the hole.

—The Court of Special Sessions in New York City dismissed the case against Salmi Morse. Justice Kilbreth dissented from its decision.

—The Madagascar Treaty was ratified at the State Department.

—A dangerous counterfeit of the standard silver dollar has appeared in the West.

—The suit of Edward Schnell against his uncle Frederick Blohm to recover damages for the alienation of his wife's affections was brought to a conclusion in the Kings County Supreme Court with a verdict for plaintiff for $5,000.

—Governor Cleveland, of New York, signed the bill prohibiting the manufacture of cigars in tenement houses.

—Two men were fatally injured by an explosion of sulphur in a coal mine near Shenandoah, Pa.

—The relief expedition made their official report to the State Board at Indianapolis. The condition of the sufferers is fearful. Disease has begun its ravages, and more medicine is needed as well as a further supply of food for the starving.

—A bill will be introduced this session in the Canadian Legislature restricting Chinese immigration into British Columbia.

—A police sergeant named Cromski, of the Long Island City force, was shot dead by one of his subordinates named Patrick Casey on Sunday. Casey claimed that the sergeant was dogging him.

—News has been received from St. Pierre that a boat was driven out to sea on Saturday. When overtaken by assistance from the shore its crew were found frozen to death.

—Hood & Scott's lodging shell at the Brownsville wood camp, a terminus of the Black Hills and Fort Pierre Railroad near Deadwood, D. T., was destroyed by fire at midnight Sunday when eleven persons were burned to death. The fire burned so rapidly that the men could not escape from the burning building.

—In Philadelphia, Thomas Maher, Jr., Isaac L. Street, and Joseph Myers, convicted of making fraudulent returns as election officers, were each sentenced by Judge Hare to three months in the County Prison, were fined $100 and disfranchised from exercising the right of suffrage for the period of four years.

—On Sunday, Jim Elliott, the prize fighter killed in Chicago, was buried in New York City, his home. The gathering was one of the largest seen in New York for many days. It embraced the sporting men and fighting men, with many known thieves. The route from the house to the ferry was thronged with spectators. McGloin, the murderer, who was hanged on Friday, was buried the same day, and the ceremonies called together many of the roughs of the City.

—The Spinners' Union, at Fall River, Mass., complains that petty tyranny is practiced by middlemen and overseers toward the employees in the mills, and intimates that if it is not discontinued a general strike will be ordered.

—Professor Wiggins, in an interview, expressed himself satisfied that the storm which he prognosticated had taken place as he announced. He also said that the danger was not yet over.

—A fire occurred at Grove Station, a few miles from Pittsburg, Pa., resulting in the total destruction of two frame houses, in one of which two children named Crawford, aged respectively five and three years old, were burned to death.

—At Columbia, S. C., a lunatic in the asylum cut the straps which bound his hands and then attacked a fellow patient, striking him on the head with a heavy piece of wood, inflicting injuries which caused death.

—Fire originating in a four-story brick building, occupied by the Vermont Farm Machine Company at Bellows Falls, Vt., entirely destroyed the building and its contents. The fire was got under control without its extending to other buildings. The loss is over $100,000.

—From Helena, Ark., discouraging reports of the floods are made. Below that city the water is higher than ever before. The planters who have had much stock drowned will lose much more by starvation. The negroes are all leaving the bottoms for safety, destitute and hungry.

—Jere. Dunn has been committed without bail to await the action of the Chicago Grand Jury for the murder of James Elliott, the pugilist.

—A frozen dynamite cartridge having been placed before a fire to thaw, in a quarry near McKeesport, Pa., exploded, killing two men and injuring a like number, one of them fatally.

—Two men were killed and two injured through the smashing of their wagon by a train, near Bound Brook, N. J.

—Katie Judd, the Newport incendiary, escaped from jail yesterday in company with a burglar who was also released by her.

—By the explosion of the boiler in the Canada Pulp Mills, at Latortuo, Que., two men were killed and several injured.

—Bob Cochran (colored) was hanged at Clayton, Ala., for the murder of M. L. Drew.

—Quite a commotion has been caused in Milwaukee by the publication of a story to the effect that one of the Phœnix Park (Dublin) assassins has just died there from injuries inflicted by a fellow countryman.

—Three persons were killed in a mail coach while crossing a railroad track at Troutman's, Ind.

—A demented baker named Syren, in Philadelphia, shot his brother's wife and himself after a brief quarrel.

—In New York Harbor on Friday, a scow was upset and several laborers lost their lives.

—The wife of a physician of Norfolk, Va., died under the influence of chloroform administered for dental purposes.

—Ex-Governor William Sprague, of Rhode Island, was married in Staunton, Va., to Mrs. Dora Inez Calvert, of Greenbrier County, West Virginia. The bride is a native of Connecticut. She is divorced from her husband.

FOREIGN ITEMS.

—A committee of English, Scotch and Irish members of Parliament has been constituted to inform public opinion in regard to Irish reforms.

—Frank Byrne and John Walsh are coming to America.

—Mr. Parnell's bill amending the Land act was rejected on its second reading in the House of Commons yesterday by a vote of 63 to 250.

—Prince Jerome Napoleon is said to be cognizant of the doings of the Paris anarchists.

—French Ministers are considering the question of providing work for the unemployed.

—The well known whisky and wine house of Ives, Beecher & Co., New York, failed Tuesday for nearly $500,000.

—Foreigners are keeping away from Paris owing to its unsettled condition.

—Twelve hundred persons have been arrested for complicity in the anarchist movement in Andalusia.

—Prince Gortschakoff, ex-Chancellor of the Russian Empire, is dead. He was born in Moscow, in 1798, of a noble family. At an early age he became connected with official life, and occupied many positions of trust and importance. He was always a strong friend of this country, and so directed matters that a kindly feeling always existed in Russia for the United States.

—The commander of the French squadron in Madagascar waters has been ordered to blockade the shore and occupy several ports of the island, but not to send troops into the interior.

—Some attempts have been made by Parisian socialists to hold meetings Sunday, but they were prevented from assembling by the police.

—The Hull fishing fleet has been seriously damaged by a gale; many lives were lost.

—Reduction of American duties has caused an advance in sugar in London.

—Eight dagger knives have been found in the Ringsend Basin, Dublin.

—Spanish socialists threaten to break open the prison at Arcos to release members of the "Black Hand" Society.

—The steamer Navarre, bound from Copenhagen to Leith, foundered during the gale of Thursday. There were eighty-one persons, mostly emigrants, on board, only sixteen of whom were saved.

—Prince Bismarck is confined to his bed. He is again suffering with neuralgia.

—Frank Byrne has been released from custody by the French government.

A Western Mystery.

A letter from Milwaukee, Wis., says: A great sensation was caused lately by the publication of statements concerning one Michael Holmes, who died in this city a few days ago. Holmes came here but a short time ago, and no one appeared to know anything about his antecedents. He was non-communicative in regard to his history and made but few acquaintances. About two weeks ago he had a misunderstanding with a fellow countryman named Patrick Johnson, which ended in his receiving such injuries that he has since died from them. It now appears that he made a partial confidant of another Irishman named Fitzgerald. So much of his story as is known is now made public. With three others he secretly left Dublin the night following the Phœnix Park murders and came to this country, and after drifting about from place to place finally came here. He told Fitzgerald in confidence that he had not written to his wife in Ireland for fear that his whereabouts would be learned, and also said that some of those charged with murder were innocent men. The opinion is universally entertained here that Holmes was connected with the assassination, if not actually engaged in it.

CORRESPONDENTS of a daily paper are discussing the question, "Can a man marry on $10 a week." He cannot if the girl is aware of the amount of his income.

A DREAD DISEASE.

The Great Activity of Pneumonia on this Side of the Sea.

[From the New York Herald.]

Pneumonia pays attention specifically to the lungs. The lungs together are the essential parts of an apparatus for effecting certain changes in the condition of the blood. As a chemist passes a fluid through some given medium to free it from one element or charge it with another, so the blood must be constantly put in contact with the air, in order that it may free itself from carbonic acid and acquire oxygen, and the lungs are the apparatus in which the blood is thus brought into relation with the air. They constitute an apparatus of indescribable delicacy. In its countless myriads of microscopic sacs or air cells, in the infinite intricacy of the capillary blood vessels by which the blood is brought in blue and carried out red, and in its system of vasomotor nerves, more readily to be comprehended logically than to be observed even microscopically, there is a delicacy and accuracy of structure in the various parts of this machinery by comparison with which the most highly perfected pieces of metallic machinery are as so many cartwheels compared with the wheels of the daintiest watches. Through this extremely delicate apparatus all the blood in a human body is passed about once every five minutes, more or less, for the whole of a man's life; that is to say, under the influence of the pumping force which determines the circulation, the whole current of the blood is driven through this delicate machinery for the oxygenation of the fluid nearly three hundred times in a day, say for eighty years in the case of one who lives till a good old age. If we suppose that in the case of a man of sixty years the whole current of the blood has passed through this apparatus for about sixty million times, and remember how absolutely impossible it would be to make any piece of machinery that would go on for such a period, and if we reflect upon the many facts in life that may and constantly do derange this delicate apparatus—facts of mere temperature or facts of variation in the quality of the fluid that passes through—it cannot be difficult to understand why at about that time in life when use goes on and repair begins to fail the susceptibility to derangement beyond remedy it is very great. But in all the delicacy of this structure there is one part more delicate than the rest. This is a set of nerves capable of dilating or reducing the calibre of the blood vessels; they are modifiers of the current. While they are in easy and healthy operation all goes well, but a change in their condition changes all else. They may be stimulated or depressed or absolutely overwhelmed, so that their action fails altogether, and as their action fails the whole operation of the apparatus goes desperately wrong. These nerves are peculiarly sensitive to very many influences relating to the condition of the blood, and more sensitive in one man than in another, wherefore it follows that changes of temperature or degrees of cold which would not affect them in one person paralyzes them in another; and when they are paralyzed then the current of the blood through the lungs is interrupted; the modifier is out of office, and the dilated vessels become gorged with blood and cannot free themselves, and this arrested blood undergoes a change of disintegration and the victim has a "hepatized" lung or lungs.

Now, a hepatized lung is practically a solidified lung. If a man has two of them he cannot breathe and speedily dies. If he has only one he is still in a very bad way. But this account of the genesis and *modus faciendi* of pneumonia may show that it is in effect an accident—much as a broken leg is; for though the causes which paralyze the modifying nerves may be consecutive to other diseases, yet ordinarily in acute pneumonia this cause is atmospheric—the victim has exposed himself to weather too severe in itself or comparatively too severe because of the diminished resistance of the system through debility. Consequently it is in a great many cases a malady that the thoughtful man may escape. One may go out on a March night to come home with pneumonia, or stay at home and be without it.

He Was a Gentleman.

Eli Perkins tells of a hotel porter he met in Louisville, Ky.: I hesitated a little about handing my portmanteau to a seedy-looking menial to carry, when the landlord said:

"Let him carry it, sah; He's a gen'leman. He'll take good care of it, sah. Perfectly safe, sah."

"Yes," remarked the landlord, as we walked up the hill, "that man carrying your bag is a gen'leman, sah. Why, sah, he was once worth $200,000—had fifty niggers and seven hundred acres of the best blue grass land in Kentucky."

"What became of it, sir?" I asked.

"Drank it all up, sah. Fast horses and fast women and whisky got away with it all, sah. And poker had a heap to do with it, too. That man lost $4,000 and a 2:20 horse in one night. Oh, sah, he's got gen'lemanly instincts; he has, sure's yer bo'ne. He's poor and ragged and dirty, and bloated all over with whisky—a perfect wreck mentally, morally and physically, but he's a gen'leman, sah. He won't steal your carpetbag."

Those Georgia Bonds.

When Milledgeville, Ga., was occupied by General Sherman, in 1864, a Wisconsin regiment was in charge of the Statehouse. In the hurried flight of State officers, of course, a great many papers were left behind. Among others there was a lot of bonds that had been prepared for issue, signed up, and ready for delivery, but they had not been delivered. They fell into the hands of that regiment. And now letters are daily received by the Georgia authorities asking about these bonds, and if they will be paid. To these letters the State Treasurer replies: "The bond described by you was issued in aid of rebellion, and as the people are now 'truly loyal' and the Constitution of the United States forbids the payment of such claims, I know that you, as a loyal citizen, will not insist on their payment."

LIQUOR IN MAINE.

A Picture of a Town Agency in the Dirigo State and the Manner in which it is Run.

[From the Bath Independent.]

It is a prevalent opinion among many that the city agency is a place where our respectable citizens obtain their rum. This is a fact, inasmuch as nobody who is known to abuse liquor is allowed to obtain any from the agent. Upon the counter of the small shop in Music Hall block are two books, in one of which goes down the name of every person who purchases liquors, with the amount paid, the quantity of liquor purchased, the kind, etc. These books are open to inspection by all. Behind the counter are casks of rum, whisky, etc., and the heads are covered with small bottles filled or empty. It is a picture, in fact of an old-fashioned barroom, and differs only in the restriction imposed.

Any individual known to the agent as an abuser of liquor never gets a drop. Hard cases now and then drop in and argue with a vehemence only known to thirst, but in vain. Mr. Tarbox is up to most of the dodges. In order to obtain liquor it is not necessary to obtain in all cases a physician's certificate. If a man is known favorably he may obtain his spirits without the additional cost of a physician's prescription. It is interesting to turn over the pages of the register of names and notice the frequency with which certain parties, most eminently temperate and respected obtain their supplies. A large number purchase once or twice each week, another class use only half a pint in two weeks, presumably, as they state, for medicinal or cooking purposes. The names of the persons which recur frequently are those of eminently temperate persons, who prove by their lives that they properly use liquor. Alderman Elliott, who has charge of the agency, purchases only the best liquors from the State agency. Mr. Elliott informed our scribe that he personally had never touched a drop of liquor of any kind in his life, and yet Mr. Elliott has obtained for the Bath agency in spite of this failing, the best of liquors, as Agent Tarbox says. During the past few years the liquors have given entire satisfaction.

In stock are the following liquors, with prices by the gallon and pint:

Rum, $2.50 per gal.; 30 cts. per pint.
Whisky, $4, $5 and $5.50 per gal.; 50, 60 and 70 cts., per pint.
Gin, $4 per gal.; 60 cts. per pint.
Brandy, $6, and $8 per gal.; 80 cts. and $1 per pint.
Alcohol, $3 per gal.; 40 cts. per pint.
California wines, $2.50 per gal.; 40 cts. per pint.
Imported wines, $5 and $6 per gal.; 70 and 80 cts. per pint.
Jamaica rum, $6 per gal.
Porter, $2.75 per doz. pints; 25 cts. per pint.
Porter, $4.50 per doz. quarts.
Bass's ale, the same as porter.
Cherry brandy, $1 per pint.
Export lager, $1.25 per doz. pints; two bottles for 25 cts.

Among the wines are madeira, old port, and sherry, for use entirely in sickness.

The value of the stock on hand varies from $800 to $1,000, and no insurance is put upon either it or the agency.

The prices are placed at about 25 per cent. above the actual cost of the liquor when placed in the agency, and the design is to sell at a cost which shall simply cover expenses. Last year a few hundred dollars were cleared, and this was covered into the city treasury. This year it will be the same, owing to increase in population, and next year there will be probably a scaling down of prices.

The agent's salary is $550. Out of this he has to pay the rent of the agency, which at present is $50; fuel and light cost $50 more, so that it leaves the agent $450. Take from this house rent $100, and it doesn't leave a very magnificent salary. Certainly not equal to the income of the rest of the liquor agents in town.

Mr. Tarbox tells us that many funny incidents occur. High-toned ladies, for instance, will come in for liquor and beg not to have their names put in that horrid book. But their names go down just the same if they get their tonic.

When out-of-town parties buy, they have to bring an order from the selectmen of their town in order to obtain their liquor.

Days of the Clipper Ship.

The fast-sailing clipper, Young America, which for thirty years has led the average records of the Pacific coast sailing vessels, is now at Portland, Oregon, and the local tars recall the exciting times when the 90 days' sail from San Francisco to New York was a matter of speculation and gambling. About ten years ago the Young America reached San Francisco, being 99 days from Liverpool, and the fastest time on record, and a few days later the British ship Escocesa arrived with the next best record. This led to a newspaper controversy in which the relative merits of the ships was freely canvassed; and, finally, Theodore H. Allen published a proposition to the effect that, if both ships could leave San Francisco within twenty-four hours of each other, he would bet five thousand dollars on the Young America, which offer was taken. A furor of betting arose which was never equaled in the history of deep-sea navigation. The Davy Crockett was nearly ready for sea at the same time, and pools were sold on the three vessels, the Young America being the favorite. On the 28th of February the Escocesa and Young America were towed out of San Francisco within half a mile of each other. The wind, which was very light, was from the west. The British ship Patrician, which went out just ahead of them, was caught in a calm and drifted in upon the Potato Patch reef, outside Point Bonita, where she went to pieces. Next morning a bark arrived from Batavia and reported having met both ships. She met the Young America forty-five miles off the Farrallones, and the Escocesa three hours and a half behind. This weather lasted some days, and the Yankee ship never lost her advantage, but increased it to such an extent that she beat the Escocesa five days and the Davy Crockett eleven, although her time on this voyage was one hundred and eight days.

Size ain't everything. A watch ticking can be heard further than a bed ticking.

The Wicked Little Girl.

"Ma's upstairs changing her dress," said the freckle-faced little girl, tying her doll's bonnet-strings and casting her eye about for a tidy large enough to serve as a shawl for that double-jointed young person.

"Oh, your mother needn't dress up for me," replied the female agent of the missionary society, taking a self-satisfied view of herself in the mirror. "Run up and tell her to come down just as she is in her every-day clothes, and not to stand on ceremony."

"Oh, but she hasn't got on her every-day clothes. Ma was all dressed up in her new brown silk 'cause she expected Miss Dimmond to-day. Miss Dimmond always comes over here to show off her nice things, and ma don't mean to get left. When ma saw you coming, she said, 'The Dickens!' and I guess she was mad about something. Ma said if you saw her new dress she'd have to hear all about the poor heathen, who don't have silk, and you'd ask her for money to buy hymn books to send 'em. Say, do the nigger ladies use hymn-book leaves to do their hair up on and make it frizzy? Ma says she guesses that's all the good the books do 'em, if they ever get any books. I wish my doll was a heathen."

"Why, you wicked little girl; what do you want of a heathen doll?" inquired the missionary lady, taking a mental inventory of the new things in the parlor to get material for a homily on worldly extravagance.

"So folks would send her lots of nice things to wear, and feel sorry to have her going about naked. Then she'd have hair to friz; and I want a doll with truly hair and eyes that roll up like Deacon Sliderback's when he says amen. I ain't a wicked girl, either, 'cause Uncle Dick—you know Uncle Dick, he's been out West, and swears awful and smokes in the house—he says I'm a holy terror and he hopes I'll be an angel pretty soon. Ma'll be down in a minute, so you needn't take your cloak off. She said she'd box my ears if I asked you to. Ma's putting on that old dress she had last year, 'cause she said she didn't want you to think she was able to give much this time, and she needed a new muff worse than the Queen of the Cannon Ball Islands needed religion. Uncle Dick says you oughter go to the islands, 'cause you'd be safe there, and the natifs'd be sorry they was such sinners anybody would send you to 'em. He says he never seen a heathen hungry enough to eat you, 'less 'twas a blind one, an' you'd set a blind pagan's teeth on edge so he'd never hanker after any more missionary. Uncle Dick's awful funny, and makes pa and ma die laughing sometimes."

"Your Uncle Richard is a bad, depraved wretch, and ought to have remained out West, where his style is appreciated. He sets a horrid example for little girls like you."

"Oh, I think he's nice. He showed me how to slide down the bannisters and he's teaching me to whistle, when ma ain't round. That's a pretty cloak you've got, ain't it? Do you buy all your good clothes with missionary money? Ma says you do."

Just then the little freckled-faced girl's ma came into the parlor and kissed the missionary lady on the cheek and said she was delighted to see her, and they proceeded to have a real sociable chat. The little girl's ma can't understand why a person who professes to be so charitable as the missionary agent does should go right over to Miss Dimmond's and say such ill-natured things as she did, and she thinks the missionary is a double-faced gossip.

The Drinks of all Nations.

"Drinks of All Nations" was the subject of President Cotten's lecture before a Boston temperance meeting. "Britons," he said, "spend annually £140,000,000 in drink, an average of $19 each. This does not include the sum paid for imported French wines. I have learned that America is now exporting large quantities of whisky to England. If so, God help England. In Russia the common people drink enormous quantities of strong beer. The nobility consume a great amount of brandy. The Government has recently appointed a commission to devise a scheme of national reformation. But one dram shop is to be allowed in each village, and where two villages are in close proximity one shop must do for both. At present 8,000,000 gallons of wine and brandy are annually consumed in Russia. Hollanders drink gin and beer. Germans use beer and wine as beverages. In 1878 official reports show that there were 11,800 breweries in the German speaking countries, turning out 846,000,000 imperial gallons of beer. In Copenhagen the authorities have decided to reduce the 1,350 beer shops to eight. No pretty barmaids are to be allowed to serve liquor, and the drunken man must be carried home in a cab at the expense of the last man who sold him beer. The Turks are the only temperate race of all civilized nations. No good Mohammeden touches distilled or malt liquors."

FUNNY PEOPLE.—St. Louis is a delectable town, and the patrons of its theatres are treated to a great deal of fun denied the playgoers of other towns. "At an impressive part of the performance at the Grand Opera House last night," says a St. Louis paper, "when every one was intently watching the scenery and people upon the stage, some one in the front row of the gallery dropped an egg over the railing. Gravitation brought it down with unerring aim upon the head of a gentleman in the front row of the dress circle. The stale contents of egg-shell flew broadcast, spattering the people on both sides, and making sorry work with the dresses and millinery of several ladies in the seat immediately behind." Tableau.

OVERHEARD at the passenger shed: "De McComic done gone an' nothin' ain't happen yit. I hear talk dey wuz some sign er n'er 'long er dese yer McComics." "Bless yo' soul chile, you des oughten go down ter my house. Ole 'oman wid de glander, de chillen natally naked, an de meal-box dry. Ef dat's wat de McComics fetches 'long wid um I ain't a wantin' no mo' un um."—*Atlanta Constitution.*

WIT AND WISDOM.

THE New Orleans *Picayune* says the devil must have a jolly life if, as is said, he laughs when men lie.

THE Rochester *Express* calls for a new coin, value six cents, for the convenience of newspaper men sued for libel.

A "WIND PUMP" is advertised which, it is claimed, is "a great improvement over all others." It is pretty evident that the inventor has never visited Congress.

"NO IDIOT," said Fenderson, "was ever bald-headed." "Don't generalize," replied Fogg; "we know you are not bald-headed, Fendy; but pray, don't generalize."

A BRIGHT little girl who had successfully spelled the word "that," was asked by her governess what would remain after the "t" had been taken away. "The dirty cups and saucers," was the reply.

TWO HUNDRED and four New York youths under twenty years of age have married within a year. It is sad to see little children torn from their homes; but New York young women keep reaching for husbands.

CURIOUS excise entry—Alexander Gun, an excise officer in Scotland, being dismissed from his employment for misconduct, an entry was made in a book kept for the purpose, as follows: "A. Gun discharged for making a false report."

THE minuet is to be revived at fashionable dancing parties in New Orleans, and the *Picayune* says it will then be proper for the young lady who always must be dragged away to say: "O, ma, please let me stay one minuet longer?"

A CINCINNATI man, caught in the belting and whirled around at the rate of a mile in about two minutes, was rescued uninjured. When asked if he wasn't frightened, he answered: "No; I thought my wife had caught me and was running me out by the back of the neck."

THE patron of a Cleveland bucket-shop was met on the street by an aged female who handed him a tract entitled, "The Sinner Stands on Slippery Places." "Madam," said he as he handed back the document: "Don't talk to me about slippery places. I have been speculating in oil for 10 years; I know all about it."

A WOONSOCKET man in Boston who went to hear Mark Twain, and by mistake got in where Joseph Cook was lecturing, did not know the difference. "Was it funny?" asked his family on his return. "Wall, yes," was the reply, "it was funny, but it wasn't so darned funny."

AT Nebraska City a livery man was sued because the horse which he had let to a young couple ran away and threw them out of the sleigh; but he proved by the plaintiff's own testimony that a struggle for a kiss was the cause of the accident, and the jury acquitted the horse of all blame.

A NEW YORK gentleman recently gave a theatre party and supper, and among the delicacies on the table were strawberries at $2 apiece. The name of the gentleman is not given, but it is safe to wager that his salary is not under $2,000 a year—unless he is a New Jersey bank official.—*Norristown Herald.*

"DAR' am not much cash satisfackshun in bein' good," says Uncle Mose; "but when de good man h'ars a knock on his doah at midnight, de feelin' dat he kin git up an' open de doah an' ax wheder de pusson wants to borry camphor or mustard, am worf de biggest co'ner lot in any city in de land."

"MADAM," he began as he lifted his hat at the front door, "I am soliciting for home charities. We have hundreds of poor, ragged and vicious children like those at your gate, and our object is—" "Sir! those are my own children!" she interrupted, and the way that front door slammed his toes jarred every hair on his scalp-lock.

A PARISIAN lady called on her milliner the other day regarding the character of a servant. The respectable appearance of the latter was beyond questioning. "But is she honest?" asked the lady. "I am not so certain about that," replied the milliner. "I have sent her to you with my bill a dozen times and she has never given me the money."

SATAN—"Who are you?" "A bank cashier." "Defaulter?" "Yes." "How much?" "Two million dollars." "Felix, give him a top seat, away from the fire, where it is nice and cool. Never mind thanking me, Mr. Cashier; you're welcome. But who is this?" No. 2—"A bank cashier." "Defaulter?" "Yes." "How much?" "Eight thousand dollars." "Here, Felix, take this fellow and give him a seat right on top of the stove."

AN elder of the kirk having found a little boy and his sister playing marbles on Sunday, put his reproof in this form—not a judicious one for a child: "Boy, do you know where children go to who play marbles on the Sabbath day?" "Ay," said the boy, "they gang down to the field by the water below the brig." "No!" roared out the elder, "they go to hell and are burned." The little fellow, really shocked, called to his sister: "Come awa, Jeanie; here's a man swearing awfully."—DEAN RAMSEY.

WHEN Senator Vest was solicited by the suffrage-begging women to help their cause, says a Washington letter, he listened patiently while they contended, in the usual style, that the woman was the equal of the man and ought to hold office—any office, Senator, Governor, Postmaster, Justice of the Peace or Constable—anything, indeed. "Great heavens," said Vest, "do you mean that? Now, just think of it. Think of a man going home and kissing a justice of the peace, or telling a friend that he was in love with a constable! It is dreadful!"

A CLERGYMAN at Cambridge preached a sermon which one of his auditors commended. "Yes," said the gentleman to whom it was mentioned, "it was a good sermon, but he stole it." This was told to the preacher. He resented it, and called the gentleman to retract what he had said. "I am not," replied the aggressor, "very apt to retract my words, but in this instance I will. I said you had stolen the sermon. I find I was wrong; for on returning home, and referring to the book whence I thought it was taken, I found it there."—*Exchange.*

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Chased by Wolves.

A TRUE STORY, BY THE WANDERER.

Near the close of the war of the Rebellion, one day in early autumn, I received a note from one of the revenue officers stationed near the boundry between U. S. and Canada, stating that he had business requiring my presence at his office. I was completely at a loss to know what a custom house officer could want with me, still I thought he meant business, and having nothing of importance to hinder, I concluded to answer the summons. Arriving at the custom house, I was soon made acquainted with what was required of me, which would oblige me to travel through a portion of what is now called Province of Quebec.

After a good night's rest and considering the matter, I concluded to engage in his service. I harnessed my pony and passed into the Queen's dominion. Now, kind reader, don't imagine Canada to be exclusively a wilderness of Frenchmen, whitewashed houses and rail fences, not at all. The people near the borders are mostly Yankees, honest, industrious, very kind and hospitable, and generally in good circumstances, though living in a very plain and homespun manner.

Nothing of interest occurred on the first day. Stopping at a little wayside inn about thirty miles beyond the line, I learned I had an extensive forest to pass through the next day, it being full fifteen miles to the nearest opening. It was a bright, pleasant autumn day, and with a light heart I bade my kind host good morning and started on my lonely journey.

The road lay for some miles between two lofty ridges well covered with heavy timber consisting mostly of rock maple and yellow birch. The first frosts of autumn had changed the green foliage to all the colors of the rainbow. The trees were of immense size, very tall, straight and handsome. As I rode leisurely along admiring the landscape, I thought if I could only move a lot of this land to Norway how rich I might be, and how I could furnish Chas. Cummings in bedstead timber all his days. No sound broke the silence of this grand old forest, except the ripple of the little streamlet which ran through the valley and the occasional chipper of a squirrel as he ran nimbly up some tall tree and hopping out on a limb which extended over my path seemed to say, catch me if you can. Near the center of this solitude I came upon a dilapidated log hut. Recollecting a message I had to deliver here, I alighted.

Approaching the door, I was met by a horrid looking old hag covered with rags and filth. Her grizzly hair hung in one tangled mass about her shoulders, between her lips she held a stump of a clay pipe, while two crooked tusks at either corner of her mouth made her resemble a were-wolf more than anything human. Before I could make known my errand, she addressed me in a voice between a croak and a growl with most horrible oaths, and demanded, "What-de-ye want here?"

"Is your name Brown?" I ventured.

"Yes, my name's Brown, what ye want know dat for?"

"Is Sam Brown about here?"

She instantly became excited roaring out with a volley of blasphemy worse than before, "None ye business, what ye want er Sam Brown?"

I informed her, "I was requested to call and tell him his wife had fallen from a carriage and broken her arm, and was now lying at Jim Willey's ten miles back."

The old witch jumped nimbly to the top of a stump screaming at the top of her voice, with the oaths she did not speak without using:

"Sam Brown, Sam Brown, Moll has broken her arm,—poor wench, poor wench. Drunk was she!"

"I did not inquire as to that," I told her.

A little ill looking dwarf now appeared from behind the hut. At first I thought it must be Quilp had escaped a watery grave and come back to curse the earth. His head of monstrous size, was covered with short bristling hair, each spear seeming to have an idea of its own. His ponderous mouth was filled with yellow and decayed teeth, arranged very much like those of a threshing machine. His eye, for he had but one, was red and bloodshot. His arms were of such length, I think he could have nearly stood erect and touched the ground. He brandished a large cudgel as he approached me, growling from between his teeth:

"No traps now, my man."

Knowing him for a fugitive from justice skulking to escape the penalty of the law, I assured him I had no evil intention, but simply called to do him a favor.

"Was she drunk?" he asked.

I repeated my answer to his mother, "I don't know."

"Well I don't care much," said the ogre. "I hope it will learn her better. Come go in and take something for your trouble."

"O, yes," said the old beldame "come in. Ish got rum, Ish got whiskey, Ish got lagger beer, Ish got high wine. You no givesh me old Abe Lincoln's money, you givesh me silver."

I assured them I had no occasion for any of their stock in trade. So mounting my gig I bade these two worthies good day, and proceeded on my journey, a firm believer in the total depravity of mankind.

Near the hour of noon I emerged from this forest into a beautiful country, dotted with farm houses, all looking thrifty and neat. The first dwelling I approached looked quite inviting, everything being a pattern of neatness. On a tree near by I discovered a sign on which was inscribed in large letters: "J. Sawyer, entertainment for man and beast."

Now, kind reader, I hope you will be patient while I describe this cottage of contentment, hoping it will interest you as it does me.

On entering the kitchen it seemed to carry me back to the days of my childhood. The ponderous chimney in the center of the house, with a fire place four feet wide, the clumsy shovel and tongs sitting in the corner, while in the chimney hung an old fashioned tramel. The doors all hung on wooden hinges, latches the same. The chairs, tables, bedsteads and all other furniture were home made. Wearing apparel and bed clothes and finally almost everything about the premises was the work of their own hands. The family consisted of Mr. Sawyer, wife and two daughters. One of the daughters was spinning flax on a little wheel, while the other was spinning the refuse of the flax called tow. The mother was weaving a web of home spun woolen for winter pants in a hand loom. This carried me back to the days of my childhood, when my dear old mother and sisters used to follow the some occupation. I could but admire the happy family so isolated, knowing but little of the outer world, reminding me of the words of the poet,

"Where ignorance is bliss
'Tis folly to be wise."

After dinner conversation turned upon the first settlers or pioneers of the town, how many hardships they endured, etc. When the mother related the following thrilling story which I think worthy of being repeated.

To be continued.

South Paris.

E. M. Thayer has sold the Stone horse and bought the Lebroke colt.

Chas. E. Richardson, of the firm of W. A. Frothingham & Co., is in Boston selling goods for the firm; headquarters at the American House.

Fifty couples at the dance last week, the largest one of the season.

At the school meeting last Saturday evening, S. P. Maxim was chosen agent.

Dr. Davis still keeps on pulling teeth and manufacturing new ones.

Dennis Holt has finished his new barn.

Harry Colby's genial smile was visible in town this week.

Dr. E. B. Holden has moved into the Hersey house and gone to housekeeping.

Albert Webb, formerly hostler for J. C. Cummings, has gone to work for N. Mason.

Mrs. O. W. Bent is in a comfortable condition and strong hopes are entertained of her recovery.

Judge Virgin presides at this term of court, having exchanged with Judge Symonds.

Miss Minnie Smith is stopping at the Andrews House.

C. K. Smith now uses the Hatch new process of mending rubber goods. Rubber repair work warranted. Call on him.

DIXFIELD.

There was an interesting and lively reform meeting here Sunday evening, Mar. 18th. Remarks were made by Messrs. Ustis, Abbott, Dunham, Taylor Putnam Gates and Harlow interspersed with music. The club is in a flourishing condition holding meetings every Sabbath evening.

A school sociable was held in National House Hall Monday evening. About 100 students and their friends were present.

A Dramatic entertainment will be given at the church Wednesday evening of this week, after which there will be a dance at National House Hall. The academy school is prospering finely ten new scholars this week which makes some over 60.

[Deferred from last week.]

The first term of Dixfield Academy opened Tuesday, March 13th, with 50 scholars and more coming in a few days which will probably swell the number to 60 or 65. G. L. Dunham of North Paris is Prin., J. C. Parlin of West Paris and J. S. Hodgdon of Paris Hill are assistants. Mr. Dunham is a graduate of Colby University (class of 82) and his success as a teacher is universal. He taught a very interesting and profitable term here this winter. The Academy building is a nice new one, just erected, and we can see nothing why it cannot be made one of the leading Academies in the county. H.

Naples.

Mr. Eben Choate was buried last week. He was one of the oldest inhabitants in town. Himself and wife had lived together nearly 60 years, and over fifty on the place where he died.

Mr. Meserve, who has been very sick two weeks, remains in a critical condition.

Dr. Sawyer has gone to New York. He expects to be absent some weeks.

Wentworth Bros. having found temporary accommodations are again at work, manufacturing clothing. A new and improved building will soon be erected in place of the one recently burned.

Mechanic Falls.

Last week Mr. Chas. H. Dwinal was again prostrated by an attack of acute bronchitis, from which he had recently recovered after a lengthy confinement from the same cause.

The amateur drama is flourishing, and "Coupon Bonds" was played on Thursday evening at Murray Hall.

The grocery team of Mr. A. S. Tinkham ran away the other day by which the pung got seriously damaged.

Mr. F. O. Stanley has a violin made by himself, which for beautiful workmanship and tone it is safe to say is equal to many of the best foreign made instruments. He has made about twenty violins, which were all fine instruments and sold for handsome prices.

The taste for fine art evinced by many of our younger ladies and girls, by which many of them are able to decorate their own parlors with handsome pictures is worthy of note.

On Monday forenoon there was a brisk shoveling bee on the site of the new shoe factory. About thirty men were engaged in the job and the snow was thrown into carts and hauled away by several heavy teams. The men were all served with a sumptuous dinner at Cobb's hotel at the expense of the Company. The contract for building the new factory has been taken by Dinsmore & Greenleaf of Auburn.

OXFORD.

Wm. H. Cummings, our barber, has retired from the business, Charlie Littlewood taking his place. It is rumored Mr. Cummings is going to leave town, which we hope is not true.

N. C. McKeen and L. D. Corser have formed a partnership in the blacksmith business, and are prepared to do all kinds of blacksmithing and carriage ironing in a neat and workmanlike manner.

Clark's mill has been shut down for for some days, making dull times in California district.

Our village is completely overrun by dogs. We have no objection to any man's keeping a dog, if he will keep him from annoying other people, but when they make themselves so familiar on short acquaintance as many do here, they become very disagreeable.

[Deferred from last week.]

Andover.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wardwell gave a reception to their friends of this place, Thursday evening of last week, at the town hall. The evening was very pleasantly passed in dancing, music being furnished by the Dixfield band. Nice refreshments were served in the lower hall.

Mr. J. B. Hooton formerly of this town now of Boston, Mass., has sold his farm, known as the Newhall place, through his agent, Joel Hutchins, to Mr. Charles Andrews of Roxbury.

We understand that Henry Mills has sold his colt to a party in another part of the state for $550. A good price and a good colt.

Mr Edward Welch is quite sick. He has a fever.

The Dixfield Dramatic Club gave an entertainment at the town hall, Friday evening consisting of the drama 'Nevada or the Lost Mine" and the farce "Jumbo Jum." All the parts were well rendered. Special commendation should however, be given Mr. W. K. Chase, in his personation of Silas Steele, the missionary of health, N. S. Stowell, as Nevada, a crazy miner, and Miss Nellie Stanley, as Moselle, a waif. The hall was filled to its utmost capacity. After the entertainment dancing was participated in until the "wee" hours of morning. Music was furnished by the Dixfield Band.

Mrs. A. A. West is in a very critical condition. Her recovery is doubtful.

The recent snow-storm has left our roads in a poor condition, though they might be made better by a close application of the "scraper".

The pump in the steam mill was broken the past week, so that the workmen were somewhat delayed, but the damage has been repaired. M.

[Deferred from last week.]

Locke's Mills.

Albert O. Bessey, an employee in the Tebbets Manfg. Co. Spool factory, has gone to his home at Bryant's Pond sick with the mumps. We can sympathize with him as we have had our turn.

Our new proprietor intends to wake us up again on the evening of the 20th. He invites both old and young to "trip the light fantastic toe". We see by his posters he intends to have the Bethel Orchestra. Right, Bro. Howatt, give Clark a chance to expand his lungs, Billings to have plenty of elbow room, Merrill lots of fresh air to prompt and Elmer a good chance to stand up behind his overgrown instrument.

S. M. Bean and A. W. Herrick both own hounds, and we see a fox pelt once in a while.

LOVELL

Town officers elected for the ensuing year: Moderator, W. O. Brown; Town Clerk, Marshall Walker; Selectmen, Josiah Heald, John Emery and Cyrus Andrews; Treasurer, C. K. Chapman; Collector, Wm. H. Walker; Constables, Henry Russell, A. P. Bassett and Wm. Walker; Supervisor of Schools, E. C. Walker.

Fatal accident, March 13th, at the saw mill owned by D. B. and S. H. Harriman. At 7½ o'clock A. M., Mr. F. B. Smith, engineer got caught in the belt running from the main shaft to the stave machine. One arm was torn from the body and his clothes were entirely stripped from him. After all this he got into the engine room some 40 or 50 feet from the belt and gave the alarm signal. He was carried to the house of S. P. McDaniels and physicans were summoned, but his wounds were fatal. He died at 3½ o'clock, P. M. He was about 40 years old, residence unknown.

Bolster's Mills.

The past week has been a busy one for those who attend social gatherings, there having been a singing school tour evenings, a social dance one evening, a Grange meeting one evening, a religious meeting three evenings, and a dramatic rehearsal one evening, so all classes could have an entertainment suited to their taste.

Wm. Chute still remains quite feeble. He rides out on pleasant days, by having some one to harness and drive his horse for him.

Mr. Thomas Mayberry of Spurr's Corner, who has been confined to his house several years with rheumatism and nervous troubles, continues very feeble.

Miss Sally Spurr, aged 84 years the 4th day of this month, is one of the most intelligent and interesting old ladies in town. She retains all her faculties in a wonderful degree, reads the papers and keeps posted on passing events, and will converse on the same with as much enthusiasm as most persons forty years of age. Her memory is good and she enjoys relating events of the days of "auld lang syne," as well as to converse on the events of the present day She assists in doing the work about house, and is very cheerful and happy.

Rev. A. B. Lovewell, of this place has owned but two horses during the last thirty-two years; in which time he has rode about seventy-five thousand miles. He drove one horse nineteen years on circuits and stations in Oxford, Cumberland and York counties, when she died of lung fever, having taken a sudden cold by having the door of the stable left open by the man with whom Mr. L. was boarding. Mr. L. then bought the horse which he now owns, and since that time, on account of poor health, his labors have been confined mostly to the vicinity in which he lives, so that he rides only fifteen hundred or two thousand miles per year. If any reader of the ADVERTISER has rode more miles behind two horses, or owned only two horses more than thirty-two years, being in use regularly in all seasons of the year, let him report the same and oblige those who are interested in such matters.

J. H. Brackett of Yarmouth has been visiting his brother Daniel H. and other relatives in this vicinity.

Hermon E. Lowell and family, who have spent three or four weeks visiting friends in Boston and vicinity, have returned to their home in this place. Their neighbors are glad to see them at home again. During their absence George Hancock and wife have had the care of their house and stock.

Albany.

F. H. Muller is moving to North Waterford. He will tend the grist mill and his wife will work at dress-making.

J. McAlister has recently employed six Frenchmen to saw birch at one dollar and five cents per cord. In consequence of deep snow he has to give an extra price. They saw a cord and a half per day, which is more than the "Yankees" can do.

Mrs. Ann Flint recently lost a good ox. He dropped down in the yoke and died instantly.

Sweden.

A widow lady by the name of Godard, who has been stopping with her daughter, Mrs. John Evans for some months, died the 5th inst. and was buried the Thursday following. Funeral attended by Rev. Mr. Snow.

Two accidents have occurred at the steam mill lately, disabling the proprietor, Mr. Bennett and Lawrence Knight, who runs the bolter. An oak bolt fell on Mr. Bennett's foot breaking down the arch, and Mr. Knight stuck a bolt into his knee. Both are rather serious affairs, but we hope in a few weeks they will be able to attend to their business as usual.

Sweden voted at the annual meeting to raise $650 for support of schools when the law requires only $380.60. This we think is quite liberal, when we have a fund in town which gives $107 as interest each year.

Miss Edith Nevers of Norway is here at Mr. Pike's, and very sick.

Porter.

We are having some quite pleasant weather, and think we shall be able to manufacture some Spring poetry before long.

Charles Pugley of Boston spent last week at his old home in this town.

John F. Rounds, who has been at work at Sanford Corner during the winter, came home last week.

Mrs. Daniel Durgin has gone to Boston to visit her son and brother.

It was George Norton, instead of George Morton, who cut himself, as printed in last week's issue.

The account of our town farm as printed in the town reports, from some reason, was very incorrect, and we have been requested to revise the same. The farm has been managed the last two years by Daniel Durgin and wife. They discharged their duties faithfully, treated the inmates kindly, and managed the farm economically. The first year they were there, the amount received from sale of farm products and stock, paid for all the supplies used on the farm, for services of overseer and wife ($200), besides leaving a balance of $43.62 in favor of the town. The last year, ending Feb. 20th, there was a great deal of sickness and two deaths. It was not the bearing year for the orchard, yet with these drawbacks, the sale of farm products and stock amounted to $275.39. There was paid out for supplies $156.64, and for services of overseer and wife $300, leaving the sum of $181.25 to be paid by the town. Stock now on farm: 1 yoke of oxen, 6 ft. 6 inches, 1 yoke of steers, 6 ft. 3 inches, 4 cows, 3 year old heifers, 1 two years old heifer, and two year old steers, 15 hens, 2 turkeys and 2 pigs (weight 150 lbs. each.) Produce on hand: 11 tons hay, ¼ ton corn fodder, 60 bush. shelled corn, 6 bush. wheat, 8 bush. beans, 1½ bush. peas, 80 bush. potatoes, 2 barrels pork, 4 gallons lard, 77 lbs. dried apple, 10 lbs butter, 15 gallons vinegar. There are seven inmates on the farm, the most of them aged and infirm, their united ages being 469 years. Chas. Ridlon and wife have taken charge of the farm for the coming year.

BRYANT'S POND.

An antiquarian supper at the Town Hall will come off this week for the benefit of the fund now being raised for the purchase of a hearse.

Can any one inform several of our readers, who are looking for "Lamartines History of the Girondists," and can't find it; who Charlotte Corday assinated during the reign of terror in France, and at what time and place it occurred? E.

Rumford.

E. H. Hutchins has gone into business at Blue Hill, Hancock County.

Dana Child has returned to Dakota. True will start in course of two or three weeks.

Quite a number of those who went into the woods logging still remain, and from present appearances will have good sledding some months longer.

The lumbermen think they have had one of the best winters for business for years. John Hemmingway and Ad. Bryant have hauled between five and six hundred cords of poplar to the river for the Denison Co. at Canton and quite a lot of white birch in Newry, report they have not lost a day for the winter. Irvin Thompson and Ed. Abbott have returned from logging, the first out.

Milton Plantation has been having an investigation of its affairs since 1860, many of the tax payers thinking it must be that the officers were getting more than their share. The result as reported from the Plantation books: Total amount of money not accounted for, $82.67, which the Plantation lost; against Plantation officers by their blunders, and in favor of the Plantation, $331.96; balance against Plantation, $249.96. So by the report the Plantation has robbed its officers of $249.29. Report of standing of Plantation: Debts, $1,332.80; resources, 1,181.47; indebtedness, $151.33. I have generally noticed that a town's indebtedness holds out better than its resources.

North Norway.

Items are as scarce as water up this way, the principal topic of conversation being the marriage of one of the "Royal family of shoemakers." We wish you much happiness, George.

One of the best temperance meetings of the winter last Saturday night. Stirring speeches were made by Messrs. Jewell, Hutchinson, Hussey, French and others.

Mr. Keith from Paris Hill preached at the chapel March 18th. His text was from Matt. 27:22.

F. Cox lost a sheep recently, which he had kept ten years and had yielded him $88 profit.

Mrs. Isaac H. Lord is stopping at Mrs. Sarah Bennett's.

Mr. Freeman Hutchinson's health is very poor, but his friends are hoping as warm weather advances, he will recuperate.

Twenty of the people at North Norway and west part of the town gave their pastor, Mr. Sprague at South Paris a "pounding" March 21. All had a pleasant time, and we think the minister wasn't hurt much.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.—The undersigned express their hearty thanks for two pound-party visits recently made by friends at No. Norway. The cake frosted with sugar, greenbacks and silver was one of the novelties of each visit, and was duly appreciated. May all the donors receive an abundance both of spiritual and temporal good.

IRA G. SPRAGUE,
HANNAH J. SPRAGUE.

The Little Ones and the Nursery for March is as usual full of pictures and nice reading for the little folks. There is no magazine better than this for small children. Russell Publishing Co., Boston, Mass.

Supreme Court.

The March term began at Paris on the 13th inst. W. W. Virgin, Judge; A. S. Austin, Clerk; E. K. Milliken, Stenographer, with the usual number of sheriffs in attendance.

The Grand Jury is the same as at the Sept. term of court. The following constitute the first panel of the Travers Jury:

Woodstock, Isaac W. Andrews.
Mexico, D. B. Austin.
Paris, Ira Bartlett.
Sumner, Isaac Bonney.
Bethel, William F. Brown.
Lovell, Charles H. Brown, excused.
Buckfield, Geo. H. Bridgham.
Paris, W. W. Dunham.
Oxford, H. M. Eaton.
Fryeburg, Seymour A. Farrington.
Norway, Geo. E. Gibson, *Foreman.*
Brownfield, James R. Hill.

SECOND PANEL.

Norway, Geo. W. Hobbs.
Dixfield, Harvey Kenney.
Rumford, Dana L. Kimball.
Gilead, T. G. Lary, excused.
Stoneham, Albert Littlefield.
Waterford, J. R. Longley.
Hiram, Joseph D. Lord, excused.
Albany, Moses L. Mason.
Bethel, Wm. W. Mason, *Foreman.*
Grafton, Moses McAllister.
Hartford, Emery Parsons.
Roxbury, George M. Richardson.

SUPERNUMERARIES.

Canton, William W. Rose.
Hanover, Joseph E. Russell.
Denmark, Stillman R. Swan.

The Grand Jury got through their work and reported seven indictments as follows:

State vs. David French. Larceny.

State vs. Geo. R. Emery and Samuel A. Eames. Violation of game laws.

State vs. Moses B. Thomes, Common Seller.

State vs. Seth W. Fife. Common seller.

State vs. Charles F. Chadbourne. Common seller.

State vs. William F. Hutchinson. Breaking, and entering, and Larceny.

State vs. Jesse K. Brown. Common seller.

APPEALED CRIMINAL CASES.

State vs. Richard Lombard. Appellant. Single sale.

State vs. Seth W. Fife. Appellant. Search and Seizure.

State vs. Julius Judkins. Assault and battery.

State vs. George A. Gordon. Single sale.

M. B. Thomes of Canton, plead guilty, sentenced to pay a fine of $100 and costs taxed at $40. Fine and costs paid.

The *Democrat* says: The first case put on trial was Edward G. Cole vs. J. Winslow Jones.

The plaintiff lives in Buckfield, and the suit was to recover pay for boxes used in canning corn, and the demand was for about $1,400. The Jury returned a verdict for defendant. Carried up to the Law Court.

Abijah Buck vs. The Phœnix Insurance Co. The Plaintiff resides in Buckfield, and this action is brought to recover insurance of $600, for destruction of buildings by fire, September 19, 1881. After the testimony was out the case was withdrawn from the jury, and carried to the Law Court.

Walter M. Brown vs. Summer H. Wardwell. The plaintiff lives in Albany, the defendant in Otisfield. The action is brought to recover for services plaintiff's minor daughter, who worked for defendant in 1881 thirty-one weeks at $3.00 per week making in all $93.00. The Jury returned a verdict of $15.00, which being under $20 carries $3.75 costs.

NOTES

We observe that the walls of Oxford Law Library have been decorated with the portraits of several prominent members of Oxford Bar during the present term. There is a splendid steel engraving of Judge Virgin, finely framed, for one. Judge Virgin has long been a member of this association and is a great favorite with the members, both as judge and as a man. Hon. Enoch Foster of Bethel, and Maj. D. R. Hastings of Fryeburg, are also represented by excellent portraits.—*Democrat.*

ALBANY.

Austin Hutchinson has sold his 7 feet 9 inch oxen to parties in Lewiston.

Charlie Flint lost a very nice four years old bull recently. He dropped dead while in the yoke.

Geo. W. French has finished his logging job and taken his team home. Geo. W. Beckler will finish this week.

Petersons Magazine for April is already on our table. The embellishments as usual are very fine. But the specialty of the number is its stories, which are better this month than ever. No lady should be without this magazine. It is not to late to subscribe for 1883, as all the back numbers can be supplied, if desired. Address Chas. J. Peterson, 306 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

The April number of *Ballou's* Magazine contains a liberal instalment of the popular novel of the day, "The Belle of Australia," by William H. Thomas. It is growing in interest, and, to show how much it is appreciated, the advance sheets have been sold to a Sydney, Australia, paper, for a large sum. This is a great compliment to the author, and the first occurrence of the kind ever known in this county. April number of Ballou's is remarkably attractive in its table of contents, It is published at 23 Hawley Street, Boston.

The March number of the *Little Gem* is before us. This magazine is particularly designed to impart religious and moral instruction to the young mind in the most attractive and interesting light. Tribune Building (Room 110) New York.

The *Grand Army Magazine* for March contains: Esther, the Persian Queen, by Prof. T. N. Haskell; Stronger then Love, a story of the war, by D. W. Moulton; Good of the order, etc., etc. Room 6 Burlington Block, Denver, Colo.

The April *Atlantic* opens with the first installment of Henry James's "Daisy Miller," not the story of that name which everybody has read, but a dramatization of it, with new characters and scenes. This is followed by "Pillow-Smoothing Authors," an essay by Dr. Holmes. Charles Dudley Warner contributes a remarkably excellent article on "Modern Fiction". Miss Sarah Orne Jewett has a characteristic New England story entitled "A New Parishioner." Elizabeth Robins writes of "Stage Buffoons" in different countries and times. There are poems, together with reviews of important recent books, and the usual variety of the Contributors' Club. Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston.

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Also one other piece or parcel of land in Norway village, in said Norway, and bounded as follows, viz.: Easterly by Sarah P. Crockett's land, north-easterly by the stream leading from Pennesseewassee Pond, southerly by Water Street, and westerly by Bridge St., being the stand known as the Crockett store and lot, and the same conveyed to said David R. Holden by H. M. Bearce and Walter S. Abbott by their deed dated November 8th, A. D. 1881, and recorded in the Oxford Registry of Deeds, at said Paris, Book 200, Page 152, reference being had to said deeds for a more particular description of said premises. The last mentioned lot or parcel, called the Crockett store lot being subject to a mortgaged deed dated April 26th, 1882, consideration two hundred dollars, recorded in Oxford Registry, Book 197, Page 123.

Said sale being made in Pursuance of Chapter 80 of the Public Laws of the State of Maine for the year A. D. 1881.

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Have you a ticket to the Camilla U
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Chas. Hayden of Beverly Ma
formerly of this village paid
flying visit the first of the week.

Jonathan Whitehouse, at the fall
on the sick list though improving

Appropriate Easter services at
churches next Sabbath.

The Mason Bros. have a "want
another column. Read it ladies
govern yourself accordingly.

General Beal is in town.

Stephen W. Libby of Albany re
ly made us a visit. He has been
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The Wilton *Record* says: O. G. Sullivan, our recent neighbor, has established himself in Norway.

A goodly party attended the "Old and Young" social gathering last Tuesday evening at Norway Hall.

Have you a ticket to the Camilla Urso Concert?

Chas. Hayden of Beverly Mass., formerly of this village paid us a flying visit the first of the week.

Jonathan Whitehouse, at the falls is on the sick list though improving now.

Appropriate Easter services at the churches next Sabbath.

The Mason Bros. have a "want" in another column. Read it ladies and govern yourself accordingly.

General Beal is in town.

Stephen W. Libby of Albany recently made us a visit. He has been getting some machine repair work done at South Paris previous to starting up his saw mill. He is to commence sawing as soon as the water comes. Mr. L. in the past ten years has built two mills in Albany, one for short lumber, and the other for both long and short, and during the season for water on Crooked River he does a good business.

The *Ladies Floral* Cabinet is the magazine every lady interested in horticulture would enjoy. The March number contains some very interesting articles in "Home Decorations," "Dressmaking at home," "House cleaning," etc. 22 Vesey St., New-York.

We received a very pleasant call recently from D. P. Stowell of Canton. He was attending court at Paris Hill and found time to make a trip to this place. Mr. S. is a native of Norway, but has been away quite a number of years. He has many relatives living here.

Messrs. Holt & Kimball entered forty cases at this Spring Term of court. This is the largest number of cases that any one law firm has carried into court for many years in this county.

Mrs. Henry Eldridge and son, Ernest of Lynn, are visiting in town.

J. F. Huntington & Co. are out with a new sign. One of Small's best makes.

The Norway Dramatic Club have in preparation another play which they will shortly present. The drama is entitled "Blow for Blow" and is considered to be one of the finest ever presented here.

The Camilla Urso Concert at Norway Hall, next Wednesday evening. Reserved seats on sale at Crockett's Drug Store.

The traditional churn story in the arms of the sleeping lover has been revived and localized. For prudential reasons we withhold the names of the principals in the little yarn.

Miss Lena Milner has sold 27 dictionaries of the World Manufacturing companies' make. For the price $1.00 per copy it contains more useful information than any other work. We understand she has received a gold watch as premium.

David E. Caswell, of Otisfield has a sheep that recently dropped three lambs. They are all doing well.

The good sized audience that assembled at Norway Hall, Saturday evening, was treated to a fine dramatic entertainment by the Norway Dramatic Club. Very few amateur dramatic clubs play as well as this. In the drama "Comrades" every part was well rendered, and a very pleasing feature was, each spoke so distinctly that the words could be understood in any part of the hall. O. W. Collins, who personated Royal Manning, threw into the character the patriotic zeal of a soldier, and the scenes of his friendship for his old comrade, Matt Winsor, were touchingly beautiful. W. A. Ripley in presenting Matt Winsor evinced much study of the character, and as the tramp as well as the gentleman he afterwards became was equally at home. C. B. Bailey as Marcus Graves, the lover who had many troubles, but, as lovers in stories usually do, at last came out all right," did nicely. There was truly "nothing shabby" about E. L. Tucker, as Simon Stone, Jack at all trades. Through all he was "Simon, pure and simple." The audience seemed wonderfully pleased in spite of his grief as a lover. He was however at last triumphant, and Nancy was satisfied to accept his suit. Fannie R. Howe acted the part of May Manning, Roy's wife finely, and in that earnest and intelligent manner that merits praise. Carrie E. Farrow, Bessie Bradley, was particularly adapted to this character, and many were the smiles provoked by her bright and piquant retorts. Mrs. E. D. Collins, Nancy Nipper, was very natural and graceful on the stage, and seemed to do the right thing at the right time. Financially this entertainment was a success, and gave the G. A. R. for whose benefit it was given some $45.00 above expenses.

You will enjoy the entertainment at Concert Hall this Saturday evening. Dennett, the Humorist and an excellent Colored Male Quartette will give you one of the most enjoyable of pleasant evenings. Messrs. F. A. Thayer, F. P. Burbank, R. N. Hall and F. H. Tilton, compose the Quartette. As Mr. Dennett unfortunately on account of the storm had to disappoint the audience assembled to hear him about two weeks ago, all who were present then will be admitted Saturday evening for 10 cts. Admission for others 15 cts. All children 10 cts.

The Noyes Drug Store has a full line of paper hangings, shades, fixtures etc. Suggestions of the return of spring.

The Ladies Circle will meet Tuesday evening (instead of Wednesday) at the vestry of the Cong. church. All are cordially invited.

Inspector General J. J. Lynch, in his report says "I spoke last year of some of the drill halls as not being suitable. I am obliged to make the same statement now. The halls at Auburn and Norway are especially poor. Something should be done for these companies."

Rines, the baker has his new cart well under way in Small's paint shop.

"The Camilla Urso Concert visit only the cities." They are at Norway Hall next Wednesday evening but their visit is purely accidental, yet the whole company will be present. See ad.

J. A. Bolster & Sons have got nicely settled in their new shop on Lynn St. and ask those in want of memorial work, coffins or caskets to call and see them.

Geo. A. Cole, the auctioneer, recently invested 75 cents in an old fashioned tall clock. This ancient time piece was built in England over a century ago and has been for many years the family clock in the household of the late Luther B. Bartlett of Greenwood. The highest bidder took it and it was knocked off to Cole at the above price. The clock was a little out of tune but Horace G. Cole, the jeweler of this place put it in running order and it was sent to Boston. It is now the property of Hall & Cole at 102 Faneuil Hall Market and the envy of all who call to see it. The present value of this clock is considerably over a hundred dollars.

The camp fire at the G. A. R. headquarters last Friday evening was quite well attended notwithstanding the weather and traveling were quite unfavorable. The army rations provided by the comrades were amply sufficient for the occasion and were enjoyed by all present, men, women and children. The literary entertainment under the direction of comrade E. H. Brown consisted of toasts, songs and declamations and responses by the comrades. The musical feature under the direction of Miss Grace Clement, organist, added very much to the entertainment. The songs by Misses Nellie Stuart, Hattie Grant and Jennie Grant were beautifully rendered, and were really the most pleasant part of the entertainment. The "Dying Soldier," by Master Harry Millett was finely rendered, and was another of the features which went to make the third camp fire of Harry Rust Post a complete success.

Sunday School concert at the Hall of the Universalist Church next Sunday evening at 7. As it is Easter Sunday an appropriate sermon will be preached in the church at 1:30.

We have to thank Adjutant General Beal for a copy of his official report, just issued. Any one interested can see the report by calling at this office.

The entertainment which is to be given at Norway Hall, on Wednesday evening, the 28, and which is advertised in another place, is one of great merit, and is received with the most enthusiastic applause by the most critical audiences. To people who are in the least acquainted with musical matters and musicial artists, it is not necessary to utter a word of commendation for Camilla Urso—the announcement that she is to come to Norway with the talented ladies and gentlemen who comprize her party, is hailed with delight, and not without reason, for it is really an event for us when we have a visit from one whose reputation extends around the world. The programme offered will be a varied one, and we commend it to the consideration of all lovers of art.

We publish the ADVERTISER and do job printing to get a living and if possible lay by a dollar for a rainy day. We have the same motive in doing business that any one else has. Carpenter, stone-mason, lawyer, doctor, and butcher and store keeper work for pay or an equivalent. So do we. We do not run the ADVERTISER for fun, fame or glory qut simply strictly and purely as a matter of business whereby we can gain an honest livelihood and meet our obligations promptly with dollar for dollar. We are not millionaires and have no money to squander and in order to meet our daily expences we must collect our bills promptly and ask those who feel to assist us to do so with deeds backed by cash or an equivalent. We do not give a straw for flattering word of mouth promise unless backed by the sinews of war. Stamps taken at full value, cord wood, maple-syrup, beans and potatoes at market rates, promises are reckoned as assets only when fulfilled.

Messrs. Whitcomb and Locke tell of their spring goods and 500 barrels of flour. A large amount of new things.

Last weeks Lewiston *Gazette* says: The Camilla Urso concert at Music Hall, Saturday, was a very satisfactory one in every way. The artists throughout kept up an even degree of excellence with Camilla Urso as an efficient tour de force. Although wanting in the breadth and strength of her masculine rivals among the great violin virtuosi, she carries to the highest pitch the feminine qualities of the violin. She played first a sonata by J. W. Rust, an English composer of the last century; a very skillful work, of which she well availed herself. The performance of Paganini's celebrated show piece, "The Witches Dance," was rendered especially interesting by the fact that Mme. Urso played on steel strings, which she has had made in preparation for her coming tour in Australia, where the climate is very destructive of the ordinary animal strings. The effect was peculiar and yet pleasing—the violin seemed to have abandoned its faculty of speech for that of song: there was substituted for the lovely intelligence of the customary strings a wonderful sweet concord of vibratory wire. The playing was of great beauty, and its delicacies of expression were notable, though it had little of the fiery nature that must have inspired the piece when Paganini himself played it. For response to the applause that followed Mmn. Urso played with exquisite delicacy Haydn's beautiful and simple Serenade. Miss Hall, the mezzo-soprano sang charmingly as she looked, displayed a sweet, well-trained voice of good compass which was thoroughly enjoyable. Mr Hanson's barytone was heard to good advantage in Shumann's fine song of the Wanderers, with its Marseillaise refrain, which he sang instead of Faure's Les Rameaux, on the programme. Mr. Burbank's recitations were in every respect admirable. He commanded the delight and the applause of the house by his excellent acting genius. The pianist, Mr. Liebling, deserves special praise for his fine accompaniments, in which very good pianists are apt to fail. Mr. Leibling never fails to give to the perfectly fit force and feeling to the piano, and his solos showed him also an excellent pianist. It is seldom we have been treated to a better musical evening in Lewiston.

Most of our farmers think well of raising sweet corn for the factory. A generous number of acres has already been subscribed.

Newspapers, are valuable to material prosperity. They advertise the village, country or locality. They spread before the reader a map on which may be traced character, design and progress. If a stranger calls at the hotel he first inquires for the village paper; if a friend comes from a distance, the next thing after a family greeting he inquires for your village or country paper, and you feel discomforted if you are unable to find a late copy, and are confounded if you are compelled to say you do not take it. The newspaper is just as necessary to fit a man for his true position in life as food or raiment. Show us a ragged, barefooted boy rather than an ignorant one. His head will cover his feet in after life, if he is well supplied with newspapers. Show us the child that is eager for newspapers. He will make the man of mark in life, if you gratify the desire for knowledge. Other things being equal, it is a rule that never fails. Give the children newspapers.

Norway Lake.

Geo. E. Gibson is foreman of the Traverse Jury of the March term of the S. J. C. now holden at Paris.

J. C. Partridge is attending to business again.

D. A. Gorham is quite ill.

Amos Downing is old and feeble and is very anxious to sell his farm this spring.

Susie Jewell, Grace Stephens, Blanche Bradbury, Olive Walker, James Walker and Philip Bradbury are attending school at the Academy since the close of the school here.

We are in receipt of sweet smelling flowers sent by H. A. Bradbury, Maitland, Florida.

The Thayer Bros. have finished their job here, and have put the 100,000 pine timber on the Lake.

The old veteran Henry Pike is quite well and hearty this winter. His memory is good and he likes to talk of the "olden time." He saw the light of day when George Washington was President.

The case of Bolster vs. Brett and Gorham is to be settled by the judges of the Supreme Court at their law term in July.

West Paris.

Mr. Varney Young, our West Paris Vennor, has very kindly given us the following record of the snow storms the past winter: First snow storm Nov 17th; number of snow storms in Nov. 3, number in Dec. 6, Jan. 8, Feb. 6, March 4. The last snow storm was March 19th. The greatest depth of snow falling at any one time was Dec. 3d, 13 inches. Total amount of snow that has fallen, 7 feet and 11½ inches; total number of snow storms, 27; coldest weather 20° below zero. He says the last of this month will be moderate with rain falls. April will enter cold and winter like, which will not last only a few days.

Our protracted meeting still continues. Revs. Mr. Sprague and Simons of South Paris take part this week.

Mr. John Willis informs us that he intends to make Florida his permanent home and is now disposing of his property, and will go as soon as he can close up his business.

Mr. Howard Lane has received a large lot of fashionable ready made clothing. His business this winter has been good.

The recent sudden changes in the weather has brought with it a tidal wave of bad colds, with some fevers. The Dudley family is now convalescing.

Mr. James Tuell is supplying his customers with fine large Western beef. He says he will not pay the prices asked by our farmers for small beef.

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Bethel.

This village was thrown into a high state of excitement the 11th inst. by the elopement and marriage of Mr. Scott Robinson and Miss Lilia Robinson, a daughter aged 17 years of Mr. Geo. Robinson. It appears the father of the lady had forbidden our town clerk from issuing a certificate to them, and they fled to New Hampshire, where they secured a license and were married by Darius Green, esq. of Shelburne. But this is not the end of the affair. Soon after returning home, the young lady picked up the most of the household goods belonging to her father, and Mr. George Plaisted was hired to move them to the upper end of the town called "Paradise," where congregate the most of the "number two's" of Bethel, where they immediately commenced housekeeping. Mr. Robinson being a widower, and having neither child or household goods left him, felt aggrieved, and arrested Mr. Plaisted for taking away his property. Just how the matter will end time will tell. This is the third runaway marriage within a year of minor couples, and Bethel authorities deplore the loose laws of New Hampshire which permits such marriages, and which increase the liabilities of the town to provide for their rapidly increasing progeny.

To Make Maple Sugar.

It is generally the practice of farmers to boil the sap in a long open pan to evaporate it. But the boiling bubbles which arise are steam or gas and hotter than 212 degrees Fahrenheit. Hot water 212 degrees is always in a liquid state, as soon as it becomes hotter than 213 degrees Fahr. it becomes gas or steam. Now, when the gas rises into air, even a few inches above boiling surface, it meets the cooler air and becomes liquid again, falls back into the kettle, and perhaps only 15 per cent. of the steam is carried off, thus the process of evaporation is expensive and slow. But cover the pan or kettle to keep out the cold air, only leaving a hole for the gas to escape, and you will boil and condense 75 per cent. more sap, in the same time and with the same fire, than with the open vat. It works as in a steam boiler, the steam escapes in one pipe so much that a small pump must feed fresh water in continually to keep the boiler filled: but have the boiler open like the common pan for sap and it need not be filled for hours. When the pan is covered as I suggest, a small pipe connected with a barrel filled with sap and a stop cock could be so arranged to let enough new sap into the pan as fast as it evaporates. The farmer will be astonished to find how much wood he saves compared with the usual open pan process.—*Laconia Democrat.*

MARRIED

At South Paris, March 17th, by Rev. Ira G. Sprague, Mr. George W. Carter and Miss Hattie E. Edwards, both of Norway.

At Otisfield, March 8th, by D. M. Cook, esq., Mr. Elbridge O. Maybury and Miss Louisa F. Mains, both of Otisfield.

DIED

At Lovell, March 13, Mr. F. B. Smith, aged 40 years.

At Naples, March 10, Mr. Ebenezer Choate, aged 86 years, 6 months.

At Harrison, March 18, Mrs. Love Wight, wife of Rev. Joseph Wight, aged about 78 yrs.

At Minot, March 17, Mr. Erasmus D. Nelson, aged 73 years, 8 mos. and 3 days.

At Mechanic Falls, March 18, Miss Caroline P. Greenwood, aged 47 years, 4 mos., 19 days.

At Boston, Mass., March 12, Mrs. A. A. Harlow, aged —years. Canada, Vermont and N. H. papers please copy.

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ASSETS:

Real estate unencumbered,	$250.00 00
United States Government Bonds,	759.851 12
Virginia State Bonds,	31.504 00
Tennessee State Bonds,	8.200 00
West Virginia State Certificates,	3,511 68
Uncollected Premiums,	120,374 89
Cash in hands of Trustees,	50,000 00
Cash in office and banks,	2,487 12
Rents due and accrued,	3,741 67
	$1,229,620 48

LIABILITIES:

Unpaid Losses,	$12,361 71
Reserve for Reinsurance,	407,966 10
All other Liabilities,	19,000 33
Surplus,	790,292 31
	$1,229,620 48

Business during the year 1882.

INCOME.

From Fire Premiums,	$647,278 26
From Interest,	29,366 30
From Rents,	21,275 00
	$697,919 56

EXPENDITURES.

Paid for Losses,	$418,638 40
" for Commissions,	113 561 92
" for Salaries, etc.,	57,377 64
" for Taxes,	17 812 60
All other payments,	9,137 53
	$616,556 09

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Notice of Foreclosure.

Notice is hereby given that Sarah Durgin, of Stoneham, in the county of Oxford by her mortgage deed, dated the nineteenth day of October, A. D. 1875, recorded in the Western District of the Oxford County Registry of Deeds, Book 62, Page 76, conveyed to Lewis Libby and Charles Johnson of Gorham, in Cumberland County, a certain parcel of real estate situated in said Stoneham, and described as follows: A certain parcel of land situated in Stoneham aforesaid, and being the homestead farm on which said Sarah Durgin then lived, and being the same land that said Sarah Durgin had of William Adams, and bounded on the north by land of Hasty Gammon, west by land of George McAllister, south by land of Solon Plummer and Nathan McAllister, and east by land of William Adams. That said Libby and Johnson, mortgagees, claim the above described parcel of real estate under and by said mortgage, and that the conditions of & in said mortgage have been and are broken, by reason whereof said Libby and Johnson claim a foreclosure of said mortgage, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided.

LEWIS LIBBY,
CHARLES JOHNSON, } Mortgagees.
Dated at Gorham, March, 3d, 1883.

Examination of Teachers.

There will be a public examination of Teachers at the Academy, Saturday, April 7th, at 9 o'clock A. M. It is desirable that teachers should secure a certificate before making a contract to teach. This will avoid much ill feeling in case any one is rejected. For this reason the examination comes off earlier than usual.

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TO-MORROW.

In the downhill of life when I find I'm declining
May my lot no less fortunate be
Than a snug elbow-chair can afford for reclining,
And a cot that o'erlooks the wide sea;
With an ambling pad pony to pace o'er the lawn,
While I carol away idle sorrow,
And blithe as the lark that each day hails the dawn,
Look forward with hope for to-morrow.

With a porch at my door both for shelter and shade, too,
As the sunshine or rain may prevail;
And a small spot of ground for the use of the spade, too,
With barn for the use of the flail;
A cow for my dairy, a dog for my game,
And a purse when a friend wants to borrow;
I'll envy no nabob his riches or fame,
Nor what honors await him to-morrow.

From the bleak northern blast may my cot be completely
Secured by a neighboring hill;
And at night may repose steal upon me more sweetly
By the sound of a murmuring rill;
And while peace and plenty I find at my board,
With a heart free from sickness and sorrow,
With my friends may I share what to-day may afford,
And let them spread the table to-morrow.

And when I at last throw off this frail covering
Which I've worn for three-score years and ten,
On the brink of the grave I'll not seek to keep hovering,
Nor my thread wish to spin o'er again;
But my face in the glass I'll serenely survey,
And with smiles count each wrinkle and furrow,
As this old worn out stuff, which is threadbare to-day,
May become everlasting to-morrow.

WM. COLLINS.

VICTIMS OF OPIUM.

A HIGH LIFE SENSATION FROM LONDON—WHY A MARRIAGE WAS BROKEN OFF ABRUPTLY.

London Life vouches for the truthfulness in every particular of the following narrative, the names alone being withheld:

Very recently a rising young physician in the West End of London was summoned to attend an urgent case. As the carriage drew up at the door, he observed that there was an awning and a carpet extending from the portal to the curb, and on reaching the hall he found that the house was thronged with people in evening dress. The messenger, speaking to a white-haired military-looking gentleman who sat alone before the fire-place, said:

"Sir Hugh, this is Dr. Fielding," and withdrew.

The gentleman addressed rose from his chair, and as he stood in the blazing light of the sea-coal fire he seemed a man in whose splendid physical presence the Doctor at once recognized the person of a famous naval commander, whose deeds of personal prowess in the Pacific and in the China Seas had won for him something more than a national reputation.

"Be seated, Doctor," he said, pointing to a chair. "My daughter was to have been married to-day. I have sent for you because I know your reputation for the treatment of nervous diseases is very high."

"My professional skill is at your service," said the Doctor.

"Your answer is frank and to the point," returned the Baronet. "The marriage of my daughter has not taken place. To-day she passed from a state of vivacity and happiness into one of stupor. All our efforts to arouse her have proved unavailing. In order that you may comprehend the entire situation, I shall be forced to detail some of my own and of my family history. Her mother was a native of the East Indies. I married her after a brief courtship, when I was a Flag Lieutenant in the East India squadron, many years ago. She was the daughter of a missionary who had given over his zealous ambition to convert the heathen of Burmah, and had gone into trade. In a short time his fortune had reached an incredible amount. There were vague rumors that the greater part of it had been gathered by transactions in opium. The young lady herself was beautiful and talented, and the sole heiress to her father's enormous wealth. Among the many suitors who came I was the successful one, and our wedding in many respects was a remarkable affair. Our only child was born some years later, and shortly afterward I was ordered to an arduous service in the Corean waters. On its completion I returned to England to find my wife broken in health, and the victim of the most painful complication of disorders. It was necessary to allay her pain, and to do this morphia was resorted to. She lingered on and died. Before her death, she told me in a lucid moment that she had learned the use of opium in her childhood, and that while she had never become a slave to it, she had nevertheless taken it with regularity, and she had no doubt that her illness resulted from the habit. In this view the physician who attended her concurred. Now, sir, my child appears to me to have been using some drug. I have no reason to believe that she is a slave to the habit of taking opium, in any of its horrible forms, but my heart is burdened with the gravest apprehensions. Should you discover that she is, the wedding ceremony which is only postponed, shall never take place. The bridegroom is the son of my dearest friend, and I can never permit that he shall have the prospect of a life of misery, such as mine has been; the more so, for the reason that there is no way to ensure happiness for her."

They passed out through the hall, up the staircase, encountering the guests who had been bidden to the marriage feast taking their departure. Some of them gave looks of curiosity, but all of them had a word of sympathy or a pressure of the hand to bestow upon the stricken father as he passed by.

On reaching the landing the Baronet stopped for a moment to recover his self-possession, and then gently opening a door, ushered the Doctor into the patient's chamber. The sight that greeted the Doctor's eye embraced as its central feature the form of a young lady clad in a dress of white satin, and lying on a bed. A bridal vail of delicate lace trailed its luxuriant length over the back of a chair, on which also hung a wreath of orange blossoms.

In a moment the man of science saw *th* at the father's worst fears were justified. A mere glance at the swollen eyelids, whose unnatural yellow color was heightened by the dark-blue veins that traversed them, showed that the young ady was not only the victim of a larger lportion than she had been accustomed to take, but that the custom itself was of old standing.

"Well, Doctor," asked the Baronet, anxiously, "is it opium?"

"We must first save her life," replied the Doctor, evasively.

Proper remedies were administered so successfully that in a few minutes the victim was aroused from the state of coma into which she had fallen, and brought to her feet. Then began the heroic treatment. She was beaten with hands, pricked with sharp points, and subjected to repeated shocks from a galvanic battery, while her stomach was attacked with the most powerful emetics, and all the while she was kept walking up and down the room, despite her pleadings to be allowed to lie down and close her eyes.

It took many hours before the immediate danger passed away. Then the Doctor sought the Baronet in his library, and said without preface:

"Your daughter, sir, is a confirmed opium-eater; not only has she used the drug in that form, but she has taken it sub-cutaneously."

"This is horrible news," moaned the father. "Cannot this frightful habit be checked and finally stopped? If you can stop it, or if you think you can, relinquish your career to devote yourself to the task, and I will give you my whole fortune; nay, even my life."

Dr. Fielding shook his head gloomily. "No," he said, "science has not done that. Even in Paradise appetite reigned and ruined."

That night the Doctor pored over his books, and finally, as if possessed of some new impulse, he hastened to his laboratory, and selecting from its shelves a bottle, carefully measured out a portion of morphia. He was about to conduct an experiment of which he himself was to be the subject.

It does not require many months for opium to assert its sway. Within a year the subject had become the ruler, and the student was enthralled probably beyond the power of escape. Meanwhile he devoted himself to the case of the Baronet's daughter. He sacrificed his own career, shunned his old associates, gave up all practice, and either passed his time by her side, or in the retirement of his own rooms, dreaming in blissful, fateful sleep.

Into the morbid brain of the Doctor came visions of lands in whose glorious confines a goddess dwelt and ruled. Into his heart there came a new sensation of pleasure and pain. And besotted by the drug, or wrapped in the slumbers of its creation, one thought alone pulsated in his brain. He was in love with his patient. And for a time his efforts were crowned with encouraging results. Devoting all his attention to her case, he at last checked her craving for the drug, and loosened the fetters of habit, though, unfortunately, without being able to break them. The father, noticing the first results, was transported with joy, but seeing that the improvement was not permanent, became the prey of a renewed anxiety. He questioned the Doctor closely. The answers gave him no satisfaction. Sad experience had given him a keen insight. One day the thought flashed upon him that the Doctor himself betrayed symptoms of being an opium slave. He bluntly put the question.

"Do you take opium?"

The Doctor's pallid face, his trembling nerves, his lustreless eyes, gave one answer but the honor of the man made him pause before he opened his lips—and lied. He had been devoting so much labor and time to the study of this case, he said, that his health had felt s[illegible]me ill effects; but he had now become even more hopeful than ever, and he felt that the future was bright with almost assured hope. He said it was clear that the father himself had become the prey of his unfortunately morbid surroundings, and that he sorely needed change of air. "In short, you should go on a sea voyage, hope for the best for your daughter, and when you return you will receive good news. I assure you that you will."

Reassured by this confident tone and manner, the Baronet acted upon Dr. Fielding's suggestion. He was away for a considerable time, and being continually advised of the rapidly progressing recovery of his child, returned at last, improved in health and full of joyous anticipations. His arrival was quite unexpected. The butler admitted him, but he pushed rapidly by and entered the room where it was indicated he would find his child. There he encountered the Doctor, who was just arousing himself from an opium sleep. His daughter, half awake, was reposing in an arm chair, her eyes half closed, the lines of her face softening and changing as her mind swayed in the elysium of the opiate. Horror-stricken, the father dashed toward the Doctor, with a look upon his face that told of murder. But, at that moment nature's hand stayed him, his heart ceased to beat, his eyes closed, his form tottered and he fell to the floor. Apoplexy, brought on in the moment of wild excitement, had claimed a victim. The Doctor made a feeble effort to restore him, but his vacillating mind could not grasp the necessary treatment. When the servants came in, they found him by the body, gibbering idiotically. They carried him away, leaving for the time, the beautiful victim of an incurable malady asleep in her chair.

Beef Steak Parties.

Among the "tony" officials of New York and Brooklyn "Beef Steak Parties" are fashionable. The ceremonial of the feast is simple. The meat, bereft of every trace or suspicion of sinew, bone or stringiness, and cut in huge steaks an inch and a half thick, or more, is brought in upon an enormous wooden platter. On another mutton chops similarly treated are in waiting. Seated on his low wooden stool the host broils the steaks with his own hands over the red-hot coals of a hickory fire that has blazed in the stove hours before. Sprinkling the meat with pepper and salt, he turns the gridiron deftly, then hands it over to the butcher, who furnished the meat, and whose presence at these feasts is always recognized as one of their essential features. A two-pound chunk of butter had been stirred in an oval dish and heated on the stove. A layer of sliced bread submerged in the sea of melted butter served as a foundation for the steaks as they were carved out in squares, and with an extra slice of butter thrown in are served from the dish on plates. Each guest receives with his plate a napkin, nothing more. The fingers have to do service for forks and knives. The meat, tender and crisp as sweet cake, yields to the teeth without an effort, the very beau ideal of well-cooked beef. The chops followed suit.

CUTTING POTATOES FOR SEED.—In preparing potatoes for seed I formerly practiced cutting the potatoes several days in advance of planting. I have long since abandoned the practice as not being safe. Experience has taught me that when seed is cut many days in advance of planting it is liable to spoil. My practice lately is to take my seed potatoes to the field and cut as wanted, planting at once as freshly as possibly. If the potatoes are sound when cut not one piece in a hundred will fail to grow and come up quickly.—H. C. PEARLON.

BUILT ON A NEW MODEL.

The Mastless Steamship Meteor, that is Expected to Run 23 Miles an Hour.

The steamer Meteor, the model from which the American Quick Transit Steamship Company hope to build a number of steamers that will average two round trips between New York and Liverpool each month the year round, has been placed on the screw dock, Pier 39 East River. The Meteor is a yacht 156 feet long over all and 136 feet on the water line. Her breadth of beam over all is 23 feet 6 inches, and on the water line 17 feet. Her depth of hold is 17 feet. She draws, with coal on board, 11 feet 6 inches of water aft, and 6 feet 11 inches forward.

Standing on the dock and looking at her as she sits on the blocks, there are several peculiarities of construction that strike the eye. These are that the midship section is a very sharp but well-proportioned V; her deck is slightly arching; there are no spars; there is an enormous overhang to her stern; the wheelhouse forward, the skylights along the deck, the hatch coamings, and, in fact, everything on deck, present a curved surface to all the water that may come on board; and a light rail takes the place of bulwarks. Her greatest breadth of beam is forward of the midship section. There are peculiarities of construction that one does not see from the dock, but it is asserted by the constructing engineer, Mr. A. Perry Bliven, that they are no less essential to its perfection.

The keel is moulded 15 inches and sided 18. The frames are 8 by 6 inches at the keel and 6 inches square at the clamps. The sidings are six-inch. The peculiarity of the frames is that they are continuous hoops placed on the keel and bolted to it through and through with inch-and-a-quarter galvanized iron bolts. There are three keelsons above the frames, and, the space between frames above the keel being filled in, she has practically a keel that is moulded six feet. The bed-plate of the engine and the boiler rests on the upper keelson. To give additional stiffness to the hull, there is on each side a longitudinal frame, 4 by 8 inches, that begins at the keel forward, arches up to the clamps amidships, and ends at the keel in the stern. As each is bolted through and through to the frames the sides of the vessel have the strength of an arched truss.

Steam will be furnished to the engines from a Ward generator, a sort of vertical boiler, in which the water is contained in coiled tubes. It has 96 square feet of heating surface, and four times the steam-generating capacity of any known boiler. It has been tested to a cold water pressure of 1,000 pounds to the square inch.

The two engines are the first of their kind, and are called annular compound, the high pressure cylinder being placed within the low pressure cylinder. Each inner cylinder is 9½ by 20½, the outer 20 by 20½, the piston of the latter being a ring, with two piston rods. Economy of space and increased power are claimed for the engines. The cranks are placed at quarters, and the power exerted is always the same whatever their position. A phosphor bronze four-bladed wheel, 10½ feet in diameter and of the same pitch, hung on the end of a 7½-inch 51-foot hammered-steel shaft, will propel the vessel. With a steam pressure of 550 pounds and 300 revolutions to the minute, the power developed will be 2,600 horse power.

Mr. Bliven expects that the Meteor will run at from 22 to 25 (land) miles an hour. The steamers of which this is the model are to be 468 feet long, 72 feet beam, and 56 feet depth of hold. They will carry 4,000 tons of freight, 600 first-class and 2,000 steerage passengers, besides 500 tons of mail and express matter. They will cost, if built in America, $750,000. Having no canvas, they will carry no sailors. The consumption of coal will be one-half of what is usual, and therefore only one-half the usual number of coal-heavers will be needed. The situation of the bunkers on the sides of the vessel so that the coal will feed itself into the stoke hole will also save labor. To add to the safety of the line steamers, they will have two extra shafts, one of which will be placed directly over the main shaft and one below it. Small wheels will be placed on the ends of these shafts, but these will ordinarily be enclosed by what may be called doors hinged on the stern post and latched forward of the wheels. In case the main wheel should be carried away the rudder would be disabled at the same time. The Captain would then open these doors, allowing them to swing around and replace the rudder. The small wheels will be turned by independent engines. It is asserted that they would drive the vessel twelve miles an hour.

Mr. Bliven says the running expenses will be one-half of those of the old style steamers of the same size, and the rates of insurance will be one-half also. The steamers will make at least five miles an hour more than the model.

"What will keep them from rolling their smoke-stacks out if they carry no canvas?" asked the reporter.

"The shape of the hull," said Mr. Bliven. "They will roll on the keel for an axis, while other shapes roll on the water line like a barrel. When this model rolls either way, the overhanging hips will catch the water and right it immediately. I could launch the Meteor upside down, and she'd right herself."

"Dime Novels."

Pernicious stories of the "dime novel" class continue to do their mischievous work, says an exchange. The latest recorded victim was a New London boy, aged fourteen, who shot himself during a period of mental aberration caused by reading dime novels. Parents who hear of such cases and fear for their own boys usually wish that some one would kill the writers and publishers of the vile trash that most boys read when they can get it; but such wishes do not mend matters in the least, for there is no one to do the killing. The only antidote to the dime novel is good reading matter that is not prosy; there is plenty of it in the market, and fathers who do not see that their boys are well furnished with it have only themselves to blame if the youngsters are compelled to find their own literature for want of a paternal supply.

PRESCRIPTIONS.—Chicago physicians and Chicago druggists have invented a pleasant device to draw money from Chicago citizens who may be so unfortunate as to grow ill. An arrangement is made in such a manner that no one but a particular druggist can fill the prescriptions written by a particular physician, a certain formula being used which is equivalent to a cipher prescription. The unfortunate patient has to pay whatever the unscrupulous druggist demands, and the plunder is divided with the physician. A more barefaced system of robbery was probably never devised, and Chicago people are anxiously awaiting the appearance of the Salvation Army, in the hope that they will convert the medicine-men.

FARM AND GARDEN.

SEASONABLE FARM NOTES.—The lengthening days remind us that ere long we must commence active operations upon our gardens and farms.

Have you got ready as far as possible, or are you putting off the getting ready until it is actually time to begin work in the field?

You might get the harnesses all mended and washed and oiled, so that they will not break down when you are in a hurry about drawing manure or plowing, and have them so soft and pliable that they will not gall or chafe the horses whose skins may have grown a little tender during the winter when their work has been light.

Get the carts also ready, and see that they are not lacking bolts or nuts anywhere.

Overhaul the plows, and see if they need any repairs, and put in a supply of good points, so that you may change whenever the wearing or breaking may make it desirable to change.

Perhaps you may find the cheapest way will be to purchase a new plow, for many of the later styles will do much more work at a much less expenditure of strength on the part of plowman and plow team than the older patterns would do, even when in good order.

Then you should look out for such other tools as will be needed for the spring work, and see what will be needed in the way of seeds. Do not try to economize by using poor tools or planting poor seed. An awkward or badly-worn tool makes the skillful workman do bad work; makes the hired man lazy and discontented, and the boys wish to get off the farm.

Poor seed will give a poor crop, in spite of liberal manuring and careful cultivation.

Neither drain your purse in purchasing high-priced and extravagantly-praised novelties in seeds or machinery, if you know nothing about them but the representations of the seller, nor try to save money by buying a low-priced article when you have any doubt about its being as good as anything of its kind in the market.

CORN FOR SEED.—Director Sturtevant of the New York State Experiment Station has been looking up tests, reported during the past twenty-five years, of tip kernels of corn for seed and finds much evidence favoring their use in connection with those of the rest of the ear. To farmers who may like to investigate the question further he suggests in a recent bulletin precautions which are important for obvious reasons: "The true experiment must be carried out under strictly parallel conditions, the best seed being selected from the middles and the tips in each case, the plantings to take place at the same distance, using seed in each hill in excess of the number required to grow, and then, after vegetation has taken place, thinning down the stalks in each hill to the same number."

In 1877 J. J. Carter, at the Pennsylvania Agricultural College Farm, reports a trial with the butt and tip grains, extending over seven years, including twelve duplicate trials and one single trial. Of these thirteen trials the yield from the butt kernels was 7,022 pounds; from the tip kernels, 7,192 pounds—the tip kernels being superior in six of the thirteen trials.

In 1874 Prof. Daniels, of the University of Wisconsin, reports that in 1870 corn from the tips, butts, and middles of the same ears was planted, and each year since the tips, butts, and middles of that raised from like seed the previous year have been again planted. No difference was visible in the quality of the corn. The result of five years' experiment is that it makes no difference from what portion of the ear the seed is taken.

HOW TO CLEAN WALL PAPER.—To clean wall paper, take off the dust with a soft cloth. With a little flour and water make a lump of very stiff dough, and rub the wall gently downward, taking the length of the arm at each stroke, and in this way go around the room. As the dough becomes dirty, cut the soiled part off. In the second round commence the stroke a little above where the last one ended, and be very careful not to cross the paper or to go up again. Ordinary papers cleaned in this way will look fresh and bright, and almost as good as new. Some papers, however, and these most inexpensive ones, will not clean nicely; and in order to ascertain whether a paper can be cleaned nicely, it is best to try it in some obscure corner which will not be noticed if the result is unsatisfactory. If there be any broken places in the wall fill them up with a mixture of equal parts of plaster of Paris and silver sand, made into a paste with a little water; then cover the place with a little piece of paper like the rest, if it can be had.—*Home and Farm.*

MARKET NOTES.

NEW YORK MARKET.

The Wholesale New York market quotations show:

BEANS—Prime, $3.70@$3.75; fair to good, $2.00@$2.25 per bushel.

BUTTER—New York sold at 37@38c. for choice in pails, and 23@25c. common to good. Western Creamery sold at 32@34c., and the common Western at 18@20c.

CHEESE—Factory fancy, 13¾@14c; do. fair to good, 10@11c.

EGGS—Quotations ranged from 20c. for ordinary, to 21½c. for New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

FLOUR—Superfine, $3.70@$4.00; Western, $4.60@$7.90; extra New York, $4.30@$7.00.

HAY—Shipping, 60@65c.; clover, 50@60c., salt, 65c; straw, 50@55c.

HOPS—New York, —@85c.; Eastern, 85@95c; yearlings, 80@87c; olds, —@—.

PETROLEUM—Refined, 7⅝c; crude, 6⅞@7⅝c in bulk; in barrels, 8⅝c; naphtha, 6¾c. in shipping order, and 11½@12c. in cases.

PORK—New mess, $19.00@$19.50; dressed hogs, 9⅛@9⅝c.

WHEAT—Spring No. 3, ——@97½c.; Milwaukee, No. 2, $1.36; amber, $1.32@$2.40; white, $1.09@$1.26.

CORN—Ungraded Western Mixed, 61½@71c.; Steamer Mixed, 68⅛@68¾c. in elevator, ——c. delivered; No. 2, 70⅝@71c. in elevator, 72@74½c. delivered; White Southern, 73½c delivered.

RYE—State, 73@78½c.

WOOL—Ohio, Pennsylvania and Virginia, XXX, 45@46c.; XX, 42@44c.; X, 42@43c.; No. 1, 45@47c.; No. 2, 38@40c.; common, 33@35c.; New York and Western XX and X, 39@45½c.; No. 1, 44@45c.

PHILADELPHIA MARKET.

FLOUR—State family, ——@$4.75; rye flour, $3.75@$4.62½; wheat, State, $——@$1.13; amber, $1.43; corn, yellow, 54½c.; mixed State, 62c.

PETROLEUM—Refined, 7⅝c.; crude, 6⅛c.

WOOL—State and Western XX, 46@50c.; X, 47@48c.; medium, 50@51c.; coarse, 45c.

BOSTON MARKET.

FLOUR—From $3.50@$4.00 for low and medium, to $5.00@6.00 for choice Minnesota. Corn, 70@78c. for mixed and yellow.

BUTTER—Common, 20c.@25c.; Vermont dairy, 28@33c.; choice creamery, 35@37c.

CHEESE—13@13½c.

BEANS—$3.35@$3.50.

HAY—Choice, $17@$18.

CATTLE MARKETS.

BUFFALO—Cattle, good quality, $5.80@$6.15; hogs, fair to good, $7.50@$7.70; best, $7.85.

EAST LIBERTY, PENN.—Best cattle, $5.75@$6.25; medium to good, $4.50@$5.50; common to fair, $3.00@$4.25; Hogs, Yorkers, $7.20@$7.45; Philadelphias, $7.80@$8.00. Sheep, $4.00@$4.50.

WATERTOWN, MASS.—Cattle, choice, $——@$10.00; extra, $9.50@$9.75; first quality, $8.50@$9.25; second quality, $6.50@$8.00; third quality, $5.00@$6.00. Sheep and lambs—wool sheep, $2.50@$5.50; extra, $5.75@$6.50; spring lambs, 6@8c. Veal calves, 3c@7½c. 12

WONDERFUL REVELATIONS OF THE MICROSCOPE.

Discovery of the Most Deadly Enemy of Mankind—The Bacillus and Its Ravages.

The scientific world has been greatly startled and agitated of late by the discovery with the microscope of the most dreadful enemy of mankind in the form of myriads of little death-dealing parasites. The air we breathe and live in is charged with these deadly little growths in proportion as it is infected from various noxious sources. Having by recent experiments and research been shown to be the most fruitful cause of disease known, and the welfare and health of every individual depending so largely on the freedom from their destructive ravages, it is but natural that the reports of recent investigators in this field of scientific inquiry should be widely read, and that every phase of these astounding discoveries should be subject to universal discussion. At first received with some suspicion they have at length been thoroughly proven, and are now receiving the unqualified indorsement of the leading scientific men throughout the world. But little else is talked of in the schools and clubs of science, and the medical and scientific journals are crowded with the testimony that is being added corroborative of the value of the marvelous discovery which is pronounced the greatest advance in medical science of modern times.

To L. PASTEUR, the eminent French scientist, who by his learned investigations has saved to France so many millions of dollars, is probably due the honor of first pointing out the terrible power of these germs. In recognition of his great service the government has recently voted him from the public treasury $10,000, with which to continue his experiments. He has described several varieties of these parasites, some comparatively harmless, others extremely dangerous. One form he proved by a series of vaccinations and other conclusive experiments was the cause of death of many thousands of animals and herds of cattle; another the active agent in the death of fowls by cholera. Acting upon the knowledge he had gained of the nature of these germs, he pointed out a means of relief that speedily prevented a spread of the diseases and ended their devastation.

TYNDALL, with the aid of other eminent English investigators, made a number of examinations of the floating particles in the atmosphere, and found numbers of living spores capable of producing disease. In dry and healthy localities but few germs were found, and these of the harmless varieties, while in low damp places, crowded houses and unhealthy cities, the poisonous germs were extremely numerous everywhere.

Dr RUDOLPH KOCH, of Wallstein, Germany, a man whose work in connection with the organisms of contagious diseases has made him a recognized authority upon the subject, by experimenting after the methods of VILLEMIN, has discovered and published an account of one of the most dangerous varieties, to which it is proven more deaths are due than to any disease incident to the human race.

He describes it as a simple cellular organism belonging to the same order as the *bacteria*. When dried the germs may, without losing any vitality, endure great extremes of temperature. Being as fine and as light as dust, invisible to the naked eye, they may be blown any distance by the wind or carried upon the clothing or body. Like seeds, they may lie for months or years undisturbed upon the furniture, floor, carpets, curtains, walls, or in the bedding, and only requiring a proper degree of warmth, moisture and food to waken into life, develop and grow. They thrive and live in the blood, lymph, mucus and secretions of the human body. When the system is unhealthy or weak they attack the cells that make up the animal frame. Any albuminous fluid will furnish them with food for growth, and a single drop is sufficient to contain hundreds. Examined with microscopes of great power, which enlarge them so that they can be seen and studied, they have the appearance of minute rod-like bodies having, when active, some power of motion. They bend in the middle like a bow and straighten with a jerk that sends them a few times their own length. At the temperature of the human body they are the most active.

Their power of increase or reproduction is remarkably great. One germ in a few weeks' time, under favorable conditions, will give rise to millions. The process is by simple growth and division. Cold destroys or prevents their growth, and this is why refrigeration prevents decay of meats and other animal foods. Exposed to warmth these small organisms attack and eat up the albuminous tissues, leaving a foul mass. The odors so common to this process are given off by these minute organisms, and is about the only indication of their presence. This is the warning of nature and it is an instinct to avoid all such smells. The foul breath, bad odors of old sores, etc., leads man to avoid these germs in a great measure. The danger of their presence in the body can be imagined when their rapid increase is considered. A few germs may be readily absorbed into the system by breathing air containing them. They are thus drawn into the interior of the body through the long and narrow respiratory passages of the throat, chest and nose, which are lined with soft membrane and covered with sticky mucus. In this fluid they find ready lodgment and favorable conditions for development, increase and growth. The "cold" or catarrh, ozæna or chronic catarrh, hay fever, etc., are common manifestations of the effects of one of the least harmful of these germs or *microzymes*. In the discharges from the respiratory passages at such times thousands of the living animalculæ are found. The fever, debility, pains "in the bones," loss of appetite, etc., are indications of their depressing effects upon the vital organs.

It is from germs of slower development, however, that the greatest danger follows. To the one most fully described by KOCH is due more deaths than to any other known cause. According to the researches of CUTTER, FLINT and DEJERINE, over eight million people die every year from this cause alone. The annual deaths in France, England, Germany and Russia from their destruction was over one and a half millions. In the United States and Canada over three hundred thousand persons perished in the last year from the *bacillus* alone. The most common disease resulting from it is consumption of the lungs, but other organs of the body are liable to be affected as they develop slowly but surely in any organ that may be in a weak or unhealthy state.

If active and healthy, the liver, kidneys and bowels have to a wonderful extent the power of expelling these deadly animalculæ or parasites from the system. And this fact furnishes an important indication for the successful treatment of all the long list of maladies caused by these parasites as will be hereinafter shown.

The studies of LANCISCA, an eminent Italian, and WOOD, FORMAD and others, are interesting, as showing the large variety of chronic diseases as heretofore classified, that result from these germs. Among the most common were "liver complaint," biliousness or torpid liver, dyspepsia or indigestion, lung affections, bronchitis, kidney diseases, chronic diarrhea, spinal complaint, fever-sores, white swellings, hip-joint disease, rheumatism, malarial diseases, such as fever and ague or intermittent fever, general and nervous debilities, female weaknesses, chronic catarrh of the head or ozæna, many forms of unhealthy discharges from internal organs, and all the various scrofulous affections of the skin, glands, bones, joints, etc., including consumption, which is but scrofulous disease of the lungs.

In this large catalogue of apparently widely differing diseases, but really all depending upon a common cause, and therefore naturally to be successfully treated on the same general principles, examination of the blood and secretions revealed large numbers of these parasites, and curiously enough the number bore a direct relation to the severity of the disease, a comparatively small number being present in mild cases and a very large proportion in bad cases. Under the use of the specific treatment which they give, and which is substantially the same as that described and recommended later in this review, the number was seen to steadily diminish from day to day until, with the restoration of health and bodily strength, they could not be found at all.

The greatest variety of symptoms were found to accompany their presence, due to peculiarities of the constitution, the part of the body most seriously affected, and the efforts of the different organs to rid the system of these germs. Among the most common were frequent headaches, neuralgic pains, nausea, constipation, poor or variable appetites, diarrhea, bad breath, hectic fever, cough, night-sweats, cold extremities, dyspepsia, catarrh, sore throat, sore eyes, etc., while where the skin was affected, salt-rheum, boils, carbuncles, scurf skin, erysipelas, St. Anthony's fire and other symptoms were common, and all gradually but with certainty were cured by the same means. The hectic fever so often met with in consumption, with the hacking or tearing cough, night sweats, diarrhea, and other symptons due to the efforts of nature to throw off and expel these germs were also readily controlled and cured in the same way as were the old sores, abscesses and ulcers in the lungs, liver and other important organs.

The corrosive acids and mineral poisons are found to possess the power of killing these germs, but the dangerous nature of such powerful agents prevent their internal use. For the purpose of expelling the germs when once within the system it is necessary to resort to vegetable remedies in order to cleanse the blood of the germs without injury to the patient.

An American physician of large experience in the treatment of all forms of chronic diseases, now conclusively shown to be caused by parasitic life, for many years devoted much time to the investigation of the causes of these affections, and in the treatment of many thousands of cases developed and thoroughly tested a combination of vegetable agents which he used with marvelous success in their cure.

In cases of wasting disease, as consumption or scrofula of the lungs and other organs; and in all cases attended with great weakness, it was found to exert the most wonderful tonic and restorative influences, beside its nutritive properties far surpass those of cod liver oil or any of the remedial agents resorted to by the medical profession in such cases. Hypophosphites, iron and quinine bear no comparison to it in building up the strength of the debilitated. The recipe, as advised by him, has been used for years with the greatest success in a vast and most successful practice.

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The plan of treatment that we have so briefly outlined in this article for the large class of chronic diseases referred to, has long been acknowledged to be the most successful, based as it is upon the belief shared by the most skillful medical men of the day, that the only way to get rid of the noxious disease-producing germs in the blood and system is through the liver, kidneys and bowels, and therefore that those agents which are known to act most efficiently in restoring healthy action of these organs are the ones most to be relied upon. For this purpose the Golden Medical Discovery is *preeminently* the agent that fulfills every indication of treatment required.

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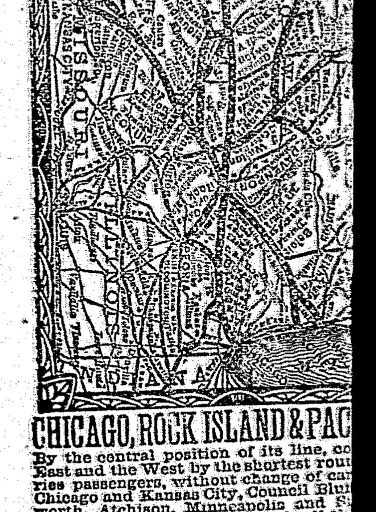
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